Cameron State Bank
Capital Stock $60,000.00
Surplus and Profits $55,000.00
Cameron, Texas.

The Cameron Herald

Cameron—Fair and warmer Wednesday. Cloudy Thursday and warmer.

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CLUB APPROVES PLAN TO TAKE OFF TRAINS

TO TAKE OFF SOUTHERN PACIFIC TRAIN THROUGH CAMERON FROM WACO

Passenger train service on the Southern Pacific from Waco to Cameron and to Yoakum will be changed to fit the new schedule when one of the trains is to be taken off.

Monday afternoon at five o'clock railroad officials met a delegation of members from the club to discuss the service. The club on Monday night voted to co-operate with the railroad in the matter.

It is said by the officials that a large loss is being sustained in the operation of this train. When the new schedule goes into effect Cameron will have only one passenger train a day to Waco, going up in the morning and coming back at night giving the same mail service and the same passenger service except one train is to be eliminated.

J. B. McDonald, assistant general manager of the lines; H. F. Kelly, assistant superintendent and J. J. Moore, train master of the Austin division and local agent Mr. Harris were representing the road in the conference.

If the application is granted to discontinue the train there will be no train going to Waco at night. The train will go in the morning and return at night. The train to be discontinued will be the train operating between Waco and Rockdale.

It is said the road lost $20,000 last year on the operation of this train. The new schedule will in all probability provide for a through train to Corpus Christi.

CAMERON BANKS IN ELECTION OF OFFICERS

MEN TO MANAGE FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS ARE NAMED HERE

With the beginning of the New Year the banks of Cameron have elected officers and directors to manage their affairs for the fiscal period which ends with December 31.

The Texas State Bank and Trust Company has elected E. Vogelsang, Jr., to succeed the late Frank C. Mondrik on its board.

The officers and directors for the First National Bank have not been announced and they will be published next week.

The following are the officers and directors of the banks named:

Citizens National Bank—Directors: Rush A Thomas, Oxsheer Smith, T. S. Henderson, W. O. Newton and L. T. Lewis.

Officers: Oxsheer Smith, President, T. S. Henderson, Vice-president, W. O. Newton, Vice-president, L. T. Lewis, Vice-president and cashier, Irvin N. Clary, assistant cashier, Vernon Roberts, assistant cashier, Miss Jane Caton, secretary and Phillip Reid, book-keeper.

Cameron State Bank—Directors: P. S. Graves, J. C. Tucker, B. J. Matocha, Geo. T. Graves and T. F. Hardy.

Officers: T. F. Hardy, president, Geo. T. Graves Vice-president and cashier, J. C. Tucker, Vice-president, E. P. Lester, Assistant cashier and B. J. Matocha, assistant cashier.

The Texas State Bank and Trust Company—Directors: J. S. Barmore, J. L. Clinton, Dr. T. J. Denson, H. M. Hefley, W. S. Lamkin, S W McClaren, J S. Owens, E. Vogelsang, Jr. and J. P. Werner.

Officers: Henry M. Hefley, president, W. S. Lamkin, Vice-president, John S. Owens, Vice-president, J. P. Werner, Vice-president and J. L. Clinton, cashier.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Mitchell were called to Houston Tuesday by news of the death of Mr. Mitchell's brother, who has been in failing health for some time and the sad news was not unexpected. Mr. A. F. Mitchell was in bed sick when the news was received and left his sick bed to go to his brother's funeral. He has the sympathy of a wide circle of Cameron friends in his bereavement.

NEW UNDERTAKING FIRM FOR CAMERON LAUNCHED

CAMERON FURNITURE TO PUT IN MODERN EQUIPMENT FOR BUSINESS

The Cameron Furniture Company has announced lease of the Hefley building formerly ocupied by the Henne & Meyer hardware business and will install equipment for an undertaking business to be modern in every way.

This announcement is made by J. W. Coleman who says that James L. Coleman now at Rockdale will have charge of this department of the business. The furniture stock now at Rockdale will be moved back to Cameron. No expenses will be spared in making this funeral home the finest that can be established.

Other changes will be made in the business that will make greater improvements in the store.

JAIL PRISONERS ARE FOR B. SLOCOMB

WRITE MESSAGE TO VOTERS IN BEHALF OF CANDIDATE FOR MARSHAL

The prisoners in the county jail have addressed the following communication to the voters of Cameron in behalf of B. Slocomb for city marshal:

We want to say a few words in Mr. B. Slocomb's behalf for City Marshal. We believe he is the man for the office. We have been here for the past year, and have seen him every day; he is the same fellow every time we see him; he has always been kind and good to us, and is just to all. We are asking the voters of this city to vote for him. Frank Bartek is in jail under a two-year term, awaiting the transfer man to come for him. He says he wants all the Bohemians to vote for Mr. Slocomb.

I want to say a word for Mr. Blaylock. He is the man for Sheriff. He has touched every law that can be named since I have been here. He is loyal to his fellow man. He has gone out of the county and brought back a number of men that have run off. "Boys, when you do wrong, phone for Mr. Blaylock or Charlie Sens to come and get you, for he surely will find you and bring you back. Then you will have to pay your jail fine and be a man".

Yours truly,
Prisoners: Jack Moore
J. A. Claxton
Frank Bartek

NEW FORD MODELS TO BE SHOWN IN CAMERON

HEFLEY MOTOR COMPANY DISPLAYING IMPROVED MODELS HERE

Special display of Ford automobiles are being made by dealers over the country. The Ford Motor Company is exhibiting some new models as a part of the annual national show week from January 9 to 16.

Sport models are new in the line of Ford cars and while the Hefley Motor Company have not received shipment of the new featured cars they have specimens of the cars on posters. A feature of the Ford line now is multi-colored paints, wire wheels, special wind shield and other sport model equipment.

In addition is the standard line of models. The local dealers will be glad to exhibit the new Fords.

Mrs. Mattie Batte received the news Thursday morning of the death of her aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Hefley, who died in the home of her daughter in Eagle Pass. She will be brought to Belton for burial beside her husband, Mr. George Hefley, a pioneer citizen of that place.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Kestenbaum and Dana Kestenbaum left Wednesday for a sojourn in Florida.

Steam and Steel Win For Engineer Race With Death

A flying mass of steel, steaming, smoking, screaming and with hot boxes groaning, beat the fast moving hand of death Saturday afternoon when S. B. Runnels, freight engineer of the H. E. and W. T., pushed his engine and "string" over 45 miles of flashing rail in time to reach the Baptist Sanitarium at Houston before his son, S. B. Runnels, Jr., closed his eyes forever.

Saturday noon, the 9-year-old youth crawled beneath a box car to show his chum how a tramp rides the rods. A switch engine struck the car and the boy's legs and arm were severed. At the Baptist Hospital, where the boy was dying and his little mother was giving her life blood in transfusion to save him, word was passed to the S. P. dispatchers and over his telegraph wires the message was flashed. "Clear the tracks. Runnels to come back. Boy injured."

'I Must Not Let Him See Me Cry'

At Cleveland Texas, Runnels was reached, and a brother monster of the thing that cut his boy down began to atone by bringing the father home in time. Everything on that 45-mile stretch of rail was side tracked and Runnels, not knowing what the injury was, gave his engine everything she had. And his fireman, J. F. Garrison, punished her. There was a clear track ahead.

Smoke streamed from the funnel, steam swirled from its sides. The wheels roared and soon the hot boxes groaned. But still she flew. The message was that Runnels was to be relieved at the Loraine Street crossing.

There awaited a relief engineer and an automobile. Runnel's train slid to a jerking hault and the man jumped from the cab, overalls on, and hands and face specked with grease and flying dirt. He ran to the automobile and it roared away.

The run from Cleveland to Houston was made in an hour and thirty minutes under regular running time.

At 3:10 p. m. Runnels ran up the stairs to the Baptist Hospital and panted: "Where is my boy? Oh, my poor little boy."

They led him directly to the room. There stood two doctors, three nurses and at the bedside sat the mother, who had given a pint of her blood to keep her boy alive until the father arrived. She herself, weak and tired, had been ordered to bed but she would not obey.

"Oh let me see my son," the father cried.

The little boy looked up. There had been a shadow of death in those immense brown eyes but it cleared away and they were bright again when they gazed upon his dad. His lips moved but he could not speak. It was plain, though, that he recognized him.

The father broke down, weeping and crying aloud, and they led him from the room.

Still there sat that little mother, praying aloud, talking. She refused to cry, but kept repeating.

"I must not let him see me cry."

Then she asked her son to look at her, and though he was sinking fast he understood. The mother spoke of the night before when the little fellow crawled into her arms and said his bed time prayers and told her how he loved her.

"Oh, he told me how much he loved me," she cried.

The doctor had told her that her son would die. They told her that she must go to bed because of the loss of blood, but still she refused. She even asked if she could not give more of her blood to save the little chap. But the doctors knew that death was coming and could not be stopped.

About ten minutes before the lad died he began to cry for air. The doctors and nurses did what they could and then the mother wept. Hot tears streamed down her cheeks and she tightly clasped her hands. Outside the distracted father, still crying, still in his working clothes, paced up and down the floor.

Then the boy became unconscious and he began falling rapidly. His eyes closed, while his mother cried and prayed and asked the little fellow to look at her again. Tears swan down the cheeks of nurses and doctors alike. They did their best but death came swiftly then.

The mother was led from the room and urged again to go to bed. Her temperature was running high. She was a small woman weighing no more than 100 pounds and not more than 32 years old. But still she refused.

That little mother that went into the valley of death once that he might live, walked from the room with steadfast steps. She walked to the father who was still crying for his son, his boy. Then they left the Hospital together to go to their home at 2308 Sumpter treet, now a place of gloom and woe, but only yesterday a place of light and laughter and happiness.

STATE BANK HANDLING COTTON PLANTING SEED

100 TONS APPROVED VARIETY SEED FOR MILAM COUNTY FARMERS

J. C. Tucker of the Cameron State Bank in a recent trip to Royce City, Rockwall county, purchased 100 tons of approved varieties of cotton seed for the bank and has found storage for them in the warehouse at the oil mill.

These seed are the Mabane, Kasch, Lone Star and Bennett varities and were ginned for planting seed, grown on forty acre tracts and their ginning was witnessed by Mr. Tucker.

Mr. Tucker is selling these seed to the farmers for planting at from $1.25 to $1.50 per bushel and far below the average approved seed. The seed are now being culled and sacked for sale to the farmers. The seed are of high fertility and will produce a good stand.

Mr. Tucker has the gin receipt for each bale from which he purchased seed and has the turn out showing the yield for each bale in lint cotton.

Selling these seed at prices indicated is a service to the farmer that is invaluable because a saving and insures good seed.

Utilities Company To New Office In City

The Texas Public Utilities Company have rented an office space in the Yoe Building ocupied by the Triggs Dry Goods Company, and will move in a short time. The building is being fitted out for the needs of the company.

R. M. Moore of the safety department of the Company, and S. R. Richardson of the merchandise department of Dallas, were in Cameron this week.

V. M. Eans, late of Cameron, moved his family to Hearne this week, locating in the cottage recently occupied by yMrs. W. A. Scott, and Mr. and Mrs. August Scott and little son.—Hearne Democrat.

CLUB TO BROADCAST A RADIO PROGRAM

WOULD ENTERTAIN PEOPLE OF UNITED STATES WITH LOCAL TALENT

A radio program to broadcast an entertainment for the people of the United States may be arranged by the publicity committee of the commercial club of which T. S. Henderson, Jr. is chairman.

The Dallas News will be asked by the club to give them an hour or two to broadcast from the statio nat Dallas.

If the program is arranged a speaker will address the radio audiance. There will be an orchestra and several singers for the program.

The matter was presented to the club on Monday night by J. B. White who urged its adoption by the club. Mr. Henderson is now writing the Dallas News to ascertain if the program may be arranged.

Judge Graham Gillis attended the funeral of his uncle, Mr. G. Boone in Houston this week. Mr. Boone died suddenly from apoplexy. His uncle was an annual visitor in the home of Judge Gillis and he has many friends here who will regret to hear of his passing.

STATE BANK SHOWS AN INCREASE IN DEPOSITS

STRENGTH OF BANK INDICATED BY STATEMENT AS OF DECEMBER 31

Elsewhere in this issue is the published statement of the Cameron State Bank showing an increase of near $20,000 in deposits since the last statement.

This bank is one of the three Cameron banks to show an increase in deposits with a decrease in loans. The condition of the bank is shown to be good and the officers and directors are to be congratulated on the showing made.

The deposits total $572,133.81. T. F. Hardy as president and Geo. T. Graves as cashier of this bank are doing all in their power to give service and meet the needs of the community under drouth conditions and in this way they are succeeding.

GULF REFINING CO. SELLS NO-NOX GAS

NO NOX GASOLINE FOR CAMERON AUTO OWNERS NOW ON SALE

Agent W. R. Hoover of the Gulf Refining Company announces that beginning Thursday the Gulf Refining Company placed on sale in Cameron and territory the famous No Nox gasoline manufactured by the company.

Through announcement made several weeks ago it was said that this gasoline would be placed on sale within a few days but some delay has been experienced in getting prompt shipment due to the big demand for it.

Mr. Hoover has received a shipment of this gasoline and it will be sold in the Gulf pumps throughout the city.

The gasoline is noted for its properties to remove carbon knocks from the motor, has a high explosive capacity and unlike the average brand of anti-carbon gasoline. It is said that greater mileage can be obtained by use of this gasoline and it preserves the motor.

The Herald calls attention to the big announcement in this issue with others to follow, advertising the No-Nox gasoline.

Mr. Hoover who came to Cameron several months ago from Houston to take over the Gulf agency here believes the gasoline will find a popular sale among auto owners.

SIGN CONTRACT WITH RADIO CORPORATION

CAMERON WATER COMPANY TO REPRESENT R. C. A. AS AGENTS HERE

The Cameron Water Company thru Hayden Lawrence announces the signing of a contract with the Radio Corporation of America to represent the company in Cameron.

The R. C. A. manufactures the Radiola and the water company thru Mr. Lawrence will sell these instruments and with them accessories and give service.

The Radiolas will be stocked as well as accessories and a complete merchandising business be made of the contract.

The company has also signed a contract recently with the Fried-Eisman company selling the Neutrodyne sets.

The line to be handled will range in price from $20 to $575 featuring the exclusive cabinet models.

New York City, the high seas and in fact all continental America can be heard with clearness over these radios.

Mr. Lawrence believes the Radio Corporation of America will be of great service to the people of Cameron.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Schiller and children motored to Belton and Temple Sunday afternoon.

CHICKEN HATCHERY IS WANTED FOR CAMERON

CLUB INTERSETED IN PROMOTING NEW INDUSTRY IN CITY

A chicken hatchery operated on a large scale is being sought for Cameron by the Commercial Club.

The club has undertaken the matter of promoting this hatchery through the co-operation of local chicken raisers and the farmers as a means of restoring the farms with poultry and produce sold in Cameron which is the second largest revenue form the farm.

During the drouth farms were practically depleted of poultry. Cameron has two large produce houses buying and packing chickens and turkeys and selling eggs to the northern and eastern markets. The club has the active co-operation of these companies, the Peter Produce Company and the Green Produce Company.

At the meeting of the club Monday night a number of farmers were present to join in the plans for the hatchery.

The matter is in the hands of a special committee and it is expected that a report will be made at the next meeting. It is known that at least one widely known poultry expert is negotiating with the committee for the privilege of the hatchery.

R. E. Sharpe who owns the champion laying hens in a recent contest throughout America, has been asked to take up the hatchery but has the matter under advisement and will give the committee an answer soon.

RALPH LAIRD KILLED IN GOOSE CREEK BURIED

FORMER CAMERON BOY KILLED BY FATHER IN LAW MONDAY

Funeral services for Ralph Laird, killed at Goose Creek Monday by deputy sheriff A. T. Hamilton, former ranger, was held Wednesday afternoon from the residence of Mrs. W. H. Garrett at Sharpe. The body was interred in the Murry Cemetery, Rev. R. S. Marshal, conducting the services.

Ralph Laird was the nephew of Jim, Preston and Bob Laird of Cameron and was well known here.

The following account of the killing was printed Wednesday in the Houston Post-Dispatch:

With the date for the examining trial set for January 27, charges of murder against deputy A. T. Hamilton probably will be reduced to manslaughter in connection with the slaying of Ralph L. Laird, 27, it was indicated Tuesday following an investigation by district attorney Horace Soule.

Hamilton released on bond of $1000. has been charged with murder before Justice of the Peace R. R. Zierlin at Goose Creek, as a result of the fatal shooting of Laird in a Goose Creek bank late Monday afternoon.

Laird, who was shot through the stomach, refused to make a statement when brought to Baytown hospital where he was operated on by Dr. C. M. Aves, who reported that there were 2 punctures in his intestines. Laird died early Tuesday morning, after it appeared for a time that he might recover.

Hamilton made a deputy sheriff under T. A. Binford in November, 1920, came to Houston directly after the shooting and surrendered. He retained S. B. Ehrenwerth as his council to defend him at the examining trial.

Eye witnesses of the shooting, which ocured in the lobby of the Citizens State Bank in Goose Creek, said that Hamilton walked into the bank and shot Laird as he stood by the cashier's window.

Mrs. Laird is Hamilton's daughter. She was found at the home of deputy V. C. Potter, Hamilton's partner in Goose Creek. Jack Hamilton, a son, and a Houston policeman, declared that Mrs. Laird would be taken to his home here.

Mrs. C. S. Mowdy of Milano had business

MA FERGUSON SAYS

They would impeach me in Texas because I have been merciful.

They go around howling that I am emptying the prisons.

I challenge them, as I have challenged them before, to show an instance in which a pardon has not been granted because I wish to show mercy. And they answer me with one great shout: "Numbers."

I should perhaps explain that I succeeded a governor whose pardon policy had been very stringent. In four years in the governor's office, Mr. Neff issued 199 pardons. He abolished the pardon board.

It was thus that I inherited a large number of convicts whose records were clear, who had been in prison for years, who were old, friendless, sick.

It is my belief that a prison is not for the purpose for exacting a pound of flesh or demanding an eye for an eye. When a man has made an honest effort to reform, I think the state should recognize such an effort, should encourage such men, should make some reward.

We have a bunch of people down here in Texas who have been as maudlin over convicts as only politicians can get. They have raved over conditions in the penitentiary—and conditions are bad enough it is true. But these men rave over the conditions—for column after column in the newspapers. Their ravings go for nothing more than talk and for the expenditure of state funds for investigations that get nowhere. They weep and wail over the poor tubercular prisons.

Then when I come along and pardon some of these tuberculars that they might go home to die with their own people, I am favored with a bitter vituperative.

I have found scores of convicts in the prisons, forgotten by the world, old and weary victims of long terms for small sins—and I have given them

a chance to go out in the world and earn an honest living once more.

They charge me with "wholesale pardons"—and my answer is that each man in prison is an individual case. They charge me with wishing to build up votes for future campaigns, and I answer:

With the courts of "justice" in the state of Texas, where the blindfolded goddess often manages to slip off the handkerchief long enough to cast one eye on the defendant's pocketbook, it has been my observation that the rich man's case hangs on and on until the courts forget him—but the poor devil, after the lawyers get through with him, is so stone broke that the price of three meals looks like a millionaires bank roll and poor men have no political influence, particularly poor men who are also ex-convicts.

My worst enemies have never charged that I have ever gotten one penny from a pardoned convict, and as far as political influence, I doubt if there are five men, either among those pardoned or those yet in prison, who could influence five votes for any man or woman running for office in Texas. The accused men who have influence get their cases continued so they never get to prison.

One of the most remarkable sources of opposition to my pardon recrd has come from the preachers of Texas.

Men who make their living preaching about the forgiveness of the Savior on Sunday, on Monday morning have forgotten about their sermons and have gone right back into the political game.

A lot of this opposition may be laid to the door of my Ku Klux enemies.

It is a well known fact that hundreds of the preachers of this state were leading members of the hooded order during its heyday in Texas. Not only were they active members, but they allowed hooded and disguised men to walk into their churches during services, and they publicly accepted donations from the Invisible Empire.

Some of these men have laid in the hue and cry against granting pardons. They have forgotten that mercy, "falls on the just and unjust." They know better, I am sure, but their actions only show the extent to which men will go when controlled by prejudice rather than by reason and justice.

Up in Dallas last summer, two negroes were convicted of a terrible crime. They were sentenced to be electrocuted in thirty days—and the execution day fell on Sunday.

I extended the day of execution five days, so that the state would not be called on to turn the Sabbath day into a butcher's day.

What happened?

This is what happened: My office was deluged with telegrams, telephone calls and letters, demanding that I revoke that extension and allow those negroes to be electrocuted on Sunday. I was condemned, threatened and accused. And a large number of those messages came from ordained ministers of the gospel.

Think of that: A man who has taken as his life work the preaching of mercy and love, who claims that he walks the paths the Savior trod, who represents the Man who pardoned a thief on the cross, would see the day dedicated to God turned into a shambles and would criticise me because I refused to join in such practice.

There is a statute on the Texas books known as the indeterminate sentence law. This provides that men may be sentenced from five to ten years, ten to twenty-five years, and so on. It provides that when such a convict has served the minimum time of his sentence with a clear record, he is eligible to executive clemency.

Dozens of the men I have pardoned since I took office are men who have served almost the maximum of their time, with clear records. They were promised by the law under which they were sentenced that they might look for another chance—and I have given it to them. Yet my enemies publish condemnation of me because I am upholding that law.

I have no maudlin sentiment above convicts. I know there are men in the pen who have murdered cruelly, who have stolen cruelly, who have lived cruelly, who have sinned cruelly against society. Yet who am I to judge that some of these men will not live right when they are given another chance?

There are a few men who have abused their pardons, of course. Yet I point to the man who was known as the worst man in the Texas penitentiary." I pardoned him because I believed that he would go straight if he thought someone trusted him; he had no advocate, and I was heartily condemned for my belief. And he has repaid me with a fine record, a good job, steady work, an honest endeavor to justify my belief in him.

My opponents have counted and published all my acts of execution clemency as full pardons.

Here is the truth: Since I have been Governor of Texas, up to Dec. 5, I have granted 188 furloughs, 67 paroles, 131 restorations of citizenship, 18 revocations of pardons and furloughs, 22 forfeitures and remissions of bonds, 22 remissions of jail sentences, 7 commutations of death sentences to life imprisonment, 2 reprieves, 460 conditional pardons, and just exactly 209 full pardons. Yet my political enemies make capital of my 1, 126 "pardons"—which happens to be the sum of all those proclamations.

As long as I am governor, as long as I know that some father will be more profit to the state of Texas out feeding his little children, as long as some sick mother asks me for a visit from her son, as long as some wife asks me for a furlough for her beloved though erring husband—so long will I thank God that I am unafraid of the political vultures who camp on my corral fence, and so long will I thank God that a woman, a wife, and a mother sits in the governor's chair to extend mercy.

Miriam A. Ferguson

SUMMARY OF ANNUAL REPORT OF HOME DEMONSTRATION WORK FOR 1925

In 1925 we organized 7 women's clubs two of which died out early, the other four doing good work, total membership was 87. There were six girl's clubs, only one of which failed, total membership was 61.

The figures in this summary were taken from the 17 women and 20 girls who reported, please bear this fact in mind in reading the following:

Value of Diary Products	$4,852.40
Value of Poultry Products	$2,207.69
Value of food preservation	$2,231.87
Value of Clothing Work	$882.95
Value of gloves, Tooled Leather and Basketry	$526.75
Making grand total of	$10,701.66

As this total represents only 37 women and girls an estimate may be made of the value of the work had all 148 who entered reported.

Have held 160 demonstrations of various kinds during the year with an attendance of 1859. Had seven exhibitors at the Dallas Fair spent 92 1-2 days in the office and 189 1-2 days in the field, have visited 70 homes, have written 353 and traveled 6,560 miles and spent for demonstration materials and necessary books pertaining to the work $61.77.

We start the New Year with four active women's clubs and ten girl's clubs. I am particurlarly happy over the increased interest in the Girls Club work. When our young people and their parents begin to take an interest in home-making we make for greater prosperity and happiness in every home.

Etta W. Ringgold.
County Home Demonstration Agent.

Judge John Watson and Judge Jeff T. Kemp attended two funerals at Milano Wednesday afternoon. Sam McGregor aged 67 and Mr. Robert Lee aged 68, who lived in the same community were burried at different hours.

MONEY TO LOAN

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Statement of condition of the

Cameron State Bank

CAMERON, TEXAS

At close of business December 31, 1925

RESOURCES

Loans		$509,956.54
Bonds and Stocks		1,711.16
Guaranty Fund		10,062.86
Asst. Fund		10,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures		13,000.00
Banking House		26,000.00
Other Real Estate		8,330.00
Acceptance, cotton in process of shipment	$84,995.08	
CASH	86,494.42	171,489.50
Total		$750,550.06

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	$ 60,000.00
Surplus	40,000.00
Undivided Profits	9,906.92
Cashier's Checks	3,509.33
Bills Payable	65,000.00
DEPOSITS	572,133.81
Total	$750,550.06

T. F. Hardy, President J. C. Tucker, Vice-President
Geo. T. Graves, Vice-President and Cashier
E. P. Lester, Asst. Cashier B. J. Matocha, Asst. Cashier

SOCIETY NEWS

BY MRS. JEFF T. KEMP

BRIDGE PARTY

On Friday afternoon the bridge club and invited guests enjoyed an afternoon of bridge with Miss Rose Rischar. Five gayly outfitted tables were arranged for the games in the reception room of the Cameron Hospital which was gay with wreaths, bells and festoons. Handkerchiefs were given for high and low scores and were awarded to Mrs. Vernon McIntyre of Alpine and to Mrs. Paul Webb. Table trophies were awarded to Mesdames Fritz Fahrendorf, John Watson, Rush Thomas and Misses Beth Jeter and Mary Lake Henderson. tions and ices were attractively serv- Holiday salad, sandwiches, confeced by the hostess. With club members were included the additional guests: Mesdames W. P. Stone of Mt. Clemens, Michigan, Roy Epperson of Fort Worth, Misses Gladys Watson. Mary Lake and Harriet Henderson. Mesdames B. F. Bonds, S. A. Cottle, R. D. Brown, W. O. Newton, John Mangum and Mrs. Vernon McIntyre of Alpine.

KELLY—CLARK

A surprise marriage was that of Miss Lucile Clark, student in Baylor College to Mr. A. L. Kelly of Lockhart at the Methodist church in Temple on Sunday morning. Miss Clark has been several times the guest of Miss Eloise Rogers, her college roommate, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rogers. Mr. Kelly has also been a guest in the Rogers home and they have many friends here.

HISTORY CLUB

Mrs. S. A. Cottle was hostess to the Cameron History club on Tuesday afternoon in the parlors of the Auditorium Hotel. Mesdames R. S. Marshall, Geo. Simons, J. L. Clinton, J. C. Tucker and Miss Amy Wade were guests. Mrs. Joe Denson, the leader gave a full discussion of the Rubbee Question from the American, Canadian and British viewpoints. Mrs. J. P. Love gave a resume of benefits resulting from the Locarno pact, and a review of a magazine discussion of the artificial making of the Sixth American Great Lake. The hostess served marshmallow dainty and angel caks squares and gave red carnation plate favors.

42 CLUB

Mrs. James Watson was hostess to the 42 club on Thursday. Four tables were outfitted in gay colors for the games. Handkerchiefs corsages were awarded as table favors to Mesdames John Watson, John Mangum and Miss Aetna Smith. Assisted by her sister, Mrs. R. J. Long, the hostess served an appetizing salad course with hot tea.

PROGRESSIVE PARTY

A novel and interesting party in the home of Mrs. Joe Denson was arranged Thursday afternoon to honor Miss Mary Sue Denson, who will become the bride of Mr. Clifton Jenness on Saturday of this week. Place cards for each guest were found at small tables and assisted by Miss Alice McGehee, Mesdames Earl Evers and S. M. Burns Jr., an appetizing salad course with hot tea was served by the hostess. Later the hostess provided work for each table.

The honoree was time keeper and visited each group of workers to give encouragement. At table number one, cup towels were hemmed, at number two sachets were made, at number three tea towels were finished, at number four receipts from Good Housekeeping were clipped and pasted into a scrap book, at number five cook aprons were embroidered. After all things had been finished they were presented to the honoree by the hostess, Mrs. Joe. Denson and Miss Dorthy Denson. The honoree and her close friends enjoyed the pleasures of this delightful afternoon.

KITCHEN SHOWER

A gayly informal party was given Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. C. Martin honoring the bride-elect, Miss Mary Sue Denson. A merry party of girl friends were invited to don house dresses and kitchen aprons and to come to enjoy the stunts and contests provided. A large picture cross word puzzle was solved. Partners were paired off and sent on various missions over the house. The twelve couples of girls by means of explicit directions on the slips the hostess presented prepared dainty refreshments and served a buffet luncheon in most delightful style. A delightful shower of kitchen utensils to be used in the bride's new home. Twenty two girl friends of the honoree and her mother, Mrs. T. J. Denson, enjoyed the pleasures of this original party, so cleverly arranged by Mrs. J. C. Martin.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Marek and family went to Temple Sunday to visit in the home of Mr. Marek's sister, Mrs. John Lesikar on French Avenue. At noon they were surprised by a birthday spread in honor of Mr. Bill Marek's birthday by his two sisters, Mesdames John Lesikar and Adolph Pochala. Relatives present enjoyed a sumptous dinner and expressed wishes for many happy returns of his birthday to Mr. Marek. A fine birthday cake formed the beautiful counterpiece for the table which was spread with such a feast of good eats. Mr. Bill Marek and family returned to Cameron Sunday afternoon.

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL WOMEN SPONSOR SALE OF MEMORIAL COINS FOR THE STONE MOUNTAIN MONUMENT

The business and Professional Women's Club met in a called session Tuesday evening at the K. C. Hall at 7:30 o'clock. The president, Miss Annie Stallworth, called the meeting to order and stated the business to be taken up at this time.

Miss Leila Woolley, chairman of executive committee, read the rules and by-laws that had been drafted by the executive committee at their previous meeting. After some few changes they were passed on by the quorum and adopted.

Miss Mary Lake Henderson was appointed chairman for the next months committee who will have full charge of the entertainment. She was given the priviledge of selecting her helpers. The first Tuesday in the month is the date for their regular monthly meeting. It is in the power of the president to call a meeting whenever she consideres it necessary.

Miss Jane Caton was selected sponsor for the club in the Stone Mountain Memorial Drive which is being put on here this week.

T. S. Henderson has contributed the following acount of the work of the memorial association:

The confederate Memorial Association is constructing the most wonderful monument of all the ages at Stone Mountain, Georgia. This mountain is a remarkable natural object. It is a solid block of gray granite, half a mile long fronting the railway and one thousand feet high, rising from a level plain sixteen miles east of Atlanta, and is visible as far as the eye can reach. The mighty hand of the Creator seems to have dropped it from the clouds to stand forever as a witness to the valor and heroism of those who did battle for the Southern cause. On its perpendicular face is to be chiseled battle scenes of the Civil War and the figures of the statesmen, generals and soldiers of the south. Each of the eleven states of the confederacy is to represented by six of its noblest sons. Texas has chosen Generals J. H. Reagan, Albert Sidney Johnston, John B. Hood, Sul Ross, Tom Green and John Gregg to be thus honored and their figures and features will be carved on the everlasting granite this imperishable monument will endure as long as time lasts.

It will cost vast sums of money to complete it and congress has given its approval by passing a law authorizing the coinage of 5,000,000 beautiful silver half-dollars, suitably engraved as Souvenir Stone Mountain Coins, and these are to be sold to raise the necessary funds. The Memorial Assiciation is directing their distribution and sale and they have been apportioned to the states of the South. Cameron's allotment is 878 coins and these must be sold by the 23rd of January. The Business and Professional Women's Club and the Lions club have selected a sponsor, Miss Jane Caton being chosen by the Women's club and Miss Harriet Henderson by the Lions' club. The Sponsor will select such helpers and assistants as may be required. The coins are now on exibition and sale at the Four City Banks, and they will co-operate in the campaign. This plan will enable every old and young confederate to possess at least one of the souvenirs.

Surely no one with a drop of confederate blood in their veins will fail to purchase a coin. The names of purchasers and the number of coins purchased will be published in the city papers.

The following confederate soldiers and widows of confederates have consented to act as sponsors in the campaign. D. A. McLane, A. S. Moseley, E. F. English, W. F. May, J. E. Reno, M. W. Mitchell, L. W. Harris, Dr. J. M. Dollar, J. C. McLane. Mesdames Martha Rogers, M. E. McIver, J. B. Wolf, J. P. McLane, Laura Williamson, Idella Green, Malvina Hitt, G. W. Newton, I. M. Pool, A. E. Brady, W. L. Lutner, Fannie Rucker, Lizzie Burns, Amanda Batte, and all the sons and daughters of Confederates will volunteer their service. Let everybody help and the campaign will quickly go over the top.

The value of these coins is 50c but will sell for one dollar. The extra half dollar which the purchaser pays is to be sent to the officials of the Stone Mountain Memorial project. When the great memorial is completed, it will draw visitors from all parts of the world and will equal the great pyramids of Egypt as one of the greatest and most impressive tributes to illustrious dead.

Ex-Governor Sul Ross at one time lived in Cameron and later moved to Waco. His face and figure will be among the Texas heroes carved on Stone Mountain Memorial Stone. Several relatives and name sakes of Governor Ross live in Cameron at the present time.

Hon. T. S. Henderson Sr. was appointed some weeks ago as chairman of the Stone Mountain Memorial campaign for Cameron and it is under his direction that the work will be put over here.

CAMERON COUNTRY CLUB

All members of the Cameron Country Club are invited to attend a dance at the club house Friday evening January 15.

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At the Churches

C. L. BOONE IS NAMED COUNTY MISSIONARY

LITTLE RIVER PASTOR BEGINS WORK WITH COUNTY ORGANIZATION

C. L. Boone for the past three years pastor of the Baptist church at Jones Prairie has been elected missionary for Milam County. He was chosen at a meeting of the executive board of Milam county Baptist Association held in Cameron Sunday.

E. L. Springer who has been missionary for the past three years has accepted work in the association of Robertson county. Mr. Boone stcceeds him as county missionary.

Mr. Boone is a graduate of Baylor University and has been a pastor for a number of years. He is secretary of the Milam County Baptist Association and is familiar with the needs of the county work.

He has resigned as pastor of the Little River church at Jones Prairie and began his work as missionary on last Sunday. He will reside in Cameron.

County Wide B. Y. P. U. Organized For Milam

A county wide B. Y. P. U. has been organized in Milam County and includes the membership of all the churches of the county.

The meeting was held in Cameron Sunday at which time the organization was perfected .This is the first step in a county wide program for Baptist advancement and is closely allied with the workers conference held each month by the churches.

EPWORTH LEAGUE

"How does God show His loving care."
Leader—Williard Keith.
Songs.
Prayer.
Bible Lesson, Luke 12: 6, 8. Psalm 23:1, 6.
Reading "A New Year's Letter"—Beatrice Rylander.
Song.
"In Protecting Us", Psalm 91:-, 10. —Louise Johnson.
"In Saving Us", Zech. 2:9, 5.—Katheryn Ledbetter.
"In the Gift of His Son," John 3:-16. —Harry Tag.
Solo—Miss Evelyn McCall.
"In Spiritual Help," Hebrew 1:13, 14.—Cornelia Esslinger.
Talk by Mrs. W. O. Triggs.

BAPTIST SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

The newly organized class of which Mrs. E. S. Hutcherson is the popular teacher, held its first business session on January 7, 1926. The following officers were elected:

President—Mrs. W. G. Allen.
1st Vice-president—Mrs. Harvey Dobbins.
2nd Vice-president—Mrs. W. H. Henley.
3rd Vice-president—Mrs. M. G. Cox.
Secretary—Mrs. Preston Graves.
Treasurer—Mrs. Walter Newton.
Assistant Teacher—Mrs. John A. Smith.

The first Friday of each month was chosen as the date for business session. At the next business session a name for the class will be chosen. With the inspirational teaching that Mrs. E. S. Hutcherson will give the class and its splendid membership made up from members of the former T. E. L. and Euzelian classes great things may be expected from the new class in the way of class activities.

LOYAL WOMAN'S COUNCIL

The president, Mr. J. S. Bradford, was hostess to the Loyal Woman's Council at her home on Monday afternoon. Plans for the year were discussed and the annual program for the Council completed. Many new features will be used this year. One new member, Mr. Gregory, was welcomed into the council.

W. M. U.

The Baptist W. M. U. met Monday afternoon in circle groups.

Circle one met with Mrs. Wilson Gunn with nine members present.

Circle two met with Mrs. W. G. Allen with sixteen members present.

Circle three met with Mrs. R. G. Grabein with fourteen members present.

Circle four met with Mrs. J. C. Martin with fifteen members present.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Monday afternoon the Methodist Missionary Society met in the church with a large attendance, the pastor Rev. R. S. Marshall, being present. A business session was held and annual committees appointed. Mrs. S. P. Doggett led the scripture lesson and the song "Abide With Me" was sung. Mrs. R. L. atte gave the Hymnology which was most interesting. She gave an outline of the new Missionary Study Book, Prayer and Missions. The following committees for the study circle were appointed: Hostess committee, Mrs. Charles Price, Henry Davis, chairman; Phone committee, Mrs. H. L. Green chairman; car committee, Mrs. S. P. Doggett, chairman. Mesdames Lena Baskin and W. H. Triggs were hostesses for the afternoon and served salad, sandwiches, olives and Rusian tea. Mesdames W. O. Triggs and H. L. Green assisted with hostess duties.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Service next Sunday will be at 7 p. m.. Evening Prayer and sermon.

Young People's Service League at 5 o'clock.

Sunday School at 9:45 a. m.

ST. MONICAS CATHOLIC CHURCH

Sunday January 17.
Early Mass at 8 a. m.
High Mass at 10 a. m.

A parish meeting will be held after the High Mass for election of Trustees.

Rev. Geo. Apel, Pastor

PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY

On Monday afternoon members of the Presbyterian Auxiliary assembled at the church for monthly Bible Study. The lesson from the third chapter of Ephesians was led by Mrs. J. H. Sapp. On next Monday afternoon the Auxiliary will meet in circles.

STONE MOUNTAIN MEMORIAL COINS

Southern girls everywhere are being interested in the sale of the Stone Mountain Confederate Coins. It is expected that girls in every county from Virginia to Texas and from the northern boundry of Kentucky to the southern tip of Florida will enlist freely in the contest. The two girls making the best records for sales in Milam County will be the guests at a grand ball given in the Governor's Mansion at Austin. The first girl will receive from the Governor a gold mounted lavalier coin stamped with an individual number. The second girl will receive a silver mounted lavalier similarly stamped. This grand ball will be surrounded with all the dignity and distinction of the highest traditions of the old South. Later the chosen state winners will go to Atlanta to attend a grand ball given to the prize winners of each state in the South. Civic and social organizations of that city will unite to shower upon this group of distinguished Southern girls. There will be a continuous round of social functions climaxing in a great All Southern Confederate Costume Ball. At this ball responsible judges will select from each state the girl most perfectly exemplifying the traditions of beauty and culture for which the girls of the outh are famous. Mrs. Augustus Lukeman, sculptor of Stone Mountain, will make a marble bust of the winning Southern girl upon the pedestal of which will be mounted a gold plate engraved with the name of the girl and an inscription describing the circumstances of the award. This is a coveted honor and it is hoped that a Texas girl will be the winner.

Miss Harriet Henderson was elected by the Lion's Club of Cameron to sponsor the sale of Stone Mountain Memorial Coins in Cameron.

OIL AND GAS LEASES

R. Parma et ux to National Refining Company of Indiana, 100 acres out of Sarah Wilhelm survey, $50.

G. A. Williamson et al to The Texas Company, 100 acres out of Justo Liando grant, $500.

R. B. Craddock et ux to T. C. Bankston, 100 acres out of James Shaw survey, $10.

Tom Phillips et al to W. A. Jones, 38 4-10 acres out of T. J. Chambers survey, $1250.

J. R. Shuffield et ux to the National Refining Company of Indiana, one tract out of Isom Allen and one tract out of Jas. Reed league $1.

R. Richter et ux to The National Refining Company of Indiana, 60 acres out of Sarah Wilhelm league, $1.

DEED RECORDS

Elizabeth H. Sommer, et vir to George Woodard, 51 acres out of David Gallegher and Niles F. Smith surveys, $420.

B. N. Ashley to Thomas Ashley, 100 acres out of D. A. Thompson survey, $3000.00

J. W. King et ux to N. M. Bullock 34 3491-5654 acres out of T. S. Arnett grant, $3400.00.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

A. R. Gentry and Lucinda Thomas.
H. M. Scott and Annie Epperson.
Edward Pagek and Hulda Fick
Preston Yarbrough and Clara Mae Thompson.
Henry White and Roxie Jackson.
Cass Scott and Ruth Logan.
Manuel Rodriguez and Manuela Rodrigiguez.
Chester Hodge and Carmen Martin.
Will Clayton and Sarah Lee Scott.

MRS. R. A. EVANS

The death of Mrs. R. A. Evans occurred suddenly last Friday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joe Luce. Her funeral was conducted by Rev. E. S. Hutcherson at the Walker's Creek Baptist church at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon on January 9, 1926. Interment in the Walkers Creek cemetery followed. A large crowd of Cameron friends and old time neighbors attended. Mrs. Evans is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Joe Luce of Cameron, b ythree sons and several grandchildren. She formerly lived near Walker's Creek but had made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Luce in Cameron for several years where she will be sadly missed by relatives and a circle of devoted friends.

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In planning my canvas of the voters of Cameron it was my desire to see each and everyone and talk over my candidacy for city marshal with them, but this may not be possible on acccount of the limited time and the territory to be covered.

It is to those with whom I will probably not be able to speak personally that I address these words, to solicit your support and vote in the city primary on Tuesday February 9 for city marshal.

I will give the best possible service to the people in this office and pledge myself to perform the duties in such a way as to properly enforce all laws and diligently perform the duties of the office.

I earnestly solicit your vote and support and if for any reason I am unable to see you personally, kindly take this appeal as sincerely indicating my appreciation in advance of whatever you may be able to do in my behalf.

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Candidate for City Marshal.

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Certificates of the second class may be obtained by examinations only. Applicants who desire to take examinations for certificates in any county must register with the county superintendent not later than the twentieth day of the month preceding the examination which he desires to take. Registration may be made by letter or in person. The applicant should give his age, sex, color, number of years experience in teaching and should specify the subjects in which he wishes to be examined. The examination fee is not paid until the applicant enters the examinations. Registration may be cancelled subsequently, if desired.

Schedule of Subjects.

Friday forenoon: Spelling, Physiology, Music, Elementary Composition, Higher English Composition, Physical Georgaphy, Botany.

Friday afternoon: Texas History, Elementary Grammar, Descriptive Geography, Plane Geometry, American Literature.

Saturday forenoon: Arithmetic, Writing, Methods and Management, Reading, Civics, Modern History, Psychology.

Saturday afternoon: United States History, Agriculture, Drawing, Ancient History, Algebra, School Law.

Tabulation of Subjects For Examinations For Certificates

Prescribed subjects: Arithmetic, English Grammar, Descriptive Geography, Texas History, United States History, Pyysiology and Hygiene, Reading, School management and methods, Texas school laws relating to pupils and teachers, Spelling, Writing.

Optional subjects: Any two of this group: Agriculture, Elementary Composition, Music, Drawing.

An elementary certificate of the second class entitled the holder to teach only in the elementary grades: namely, grades one to seven, inclusive.

High School Certificates of the Second Class.

The subjects required for an elementary certificate of the second class, any two of the optional subjects for an elementary certificate of the second class, and:

Prescribed subjects: Civil Government, Higher English Composition, Elementary Psychology.

Optional subjects: Any four of this group: Algebra, Botany, Physical Georgaphy, Plane Geometry, Ancient History, Modern History, American Literature.

A high school certificate of the second class will be valid in elementary schools, grades one to seven, inclusive, and in third class high schools and in unclassified high schools, but not in first and second class accredited high schools.

Date of Examinations For 1926

February 5 and 6, April 2 and 3, June 4 and 5, July 2 and 3, August 13 and 14, September 3 and 4, December 3 and 4.

NOTICE

This is to give notice to the public that cotton receipt No. 93756 issued in the name of Antone Prince on the 3rd day of August 1925, by the Carreron Compress Company, for one bale of cotton delivered by him to that Company, has been lost, and that the holder of said cotton, and the public undersigned is the legal owner and is warned not to accept said receipt or to deal with same in the hands of any other person. 37-2t

R. L. Batte.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Milam County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Milam, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

Notice of Application For Probate Of Will

The State of Texas,

To all persons interested in the estate of Frank R. Chapman, Mary Chapman deceased, has filed in the County Court of Milam County, an application for the probate of the last will and testament of said Frank R. Chapman, deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in February A. D. 1926, the same being the first day of February A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in Cameron, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may apppear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Cameron, Texas, this the 6th day of January A. D. 1926.

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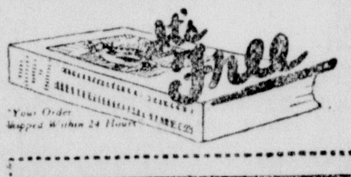

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Was Not All Cave Man

By BAYARD D. YORK

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A CHERUBIC smile broadened Buell Goodrich's round face. Then he scowled deeply and banged up the receiver.

Alice Cranston had suggested that he take her out to her aunt's for supper. "Mother says it will be all right," she had added.

"They seem to think I'm some sort of cute little mamma's boy," he growled. "To—to the devil with goodness!" he exploded. "From this moment I'm a demon. I'll cheat, lie, and steal. I'll—"

A knock at the door interrupted. The man who entered explained that he had called to see Mr. Kane next door, but had discovered that he was out of town. He tapped a package under his arm suggestively.

"It's an unusual quality," he said. "Just in from Scotland. And the price is an even fifty. A rare opportunity."

Buell had suddenly realized the nature of the man's errand.

"Say," he yelled; "what do you think—"

The man slipped out.

"Might have known you were a parson," he called back.

He'd take Alice to—to—for a moment he searched his mind fruitlessly. Ah, he had it—he'd take her to Hollyhock house, out on the Beach road, a place much more lurid than its name suggested.

And then the phone rang again.

"Aunt isn't home, I find," Alice said. "So don't bother—"

"Alice," he interrupted—"I'll call you in ten minutes. I warn you—it'll be a wild evening."

Buell was not familiar with places like the Hollyhock.

The headwaiter seemed to get the idea quickly. He found a secluded spot where the music floated past with that soft distant tone which lends enchantment.

"This is wonderful," Alice breathed. "But what in the world has come over you, Buell?"

He leaned back and motioned a waiter with a stiff finger.

"Sherry," he ordered.

"Buell!" Alice cried. "I don't drink, and I know you don't."

"Tonight," he stated solemnly; "We do—both of us."

"And then," he concluded, "we are going to go and get married."

The girl's eyes flashed dangerously. In another moment the test of will power between them would have been on in earnest had not an interruption occurred.

It was remarkable how suddenly silence fell over the crowded dining room and how rapidly the word passed from table to table.

"The police! A raid!"

Buell saw the wild look of dismay deepen on Alice's face—and he suddenly realized that because of his crazy lark she would be dragged through the publicity of this affair.

Well—he'd pull the chestnuts out of the fire.

The first steps proved to be ridiculously easy. Buell raised a window, stepped out, and lifted Alice through the opening—to find himself facing an officer.

Buell did not hesitate. Being an honest man, he acted worse than many a criminal would have. His cherubic appearance worked in his favor—for the officer was totally unprepared for the swift uppercut which laid him flat on the ground.

In a second Buell and Alice were in their car—and off on the Beach road. A moment later, the sound of pursuit came sharply to their ears.

"More cave-man stuff," he muttered.

The next instant he had jumped in and whirred away around a sharp turn in the road.

Half an hour later Alice stepped from the trolley. She was safely back in town—but her thoughts were of Buell.

"May I walk with you?" said a voice at her side.

She jumped violently.

"Buell Goodrich!" she cried. "Where did you come from?"

"I just alighted from the trolley," Buell murmured. "I thought we'd better not be seen together on it."

"But—your car?" she questioned.

"My little roadster," he replied, "lies in a watery grave somewhere in the Atlantic. The inspiration came to me just as I left you—and I ran the car off the cliff and doubled back and caught the trolley by the coat tails."

He stopped. A hurrying pedestrian jostled him.

"I know this isn't the time and the place," he said. "But it's taken me a long time to get up my courage, Alice, and if I don't speak now I may flunk again. Do—do you think that—sometime, maybe in June, you would marry me?"

She smiled a little.

"I rather expected you'd catch me by the hair of the head and drag me to the nearest clergyman's," she murmured.

"No," he replied. "You see, after all, I'm not all cave-man."

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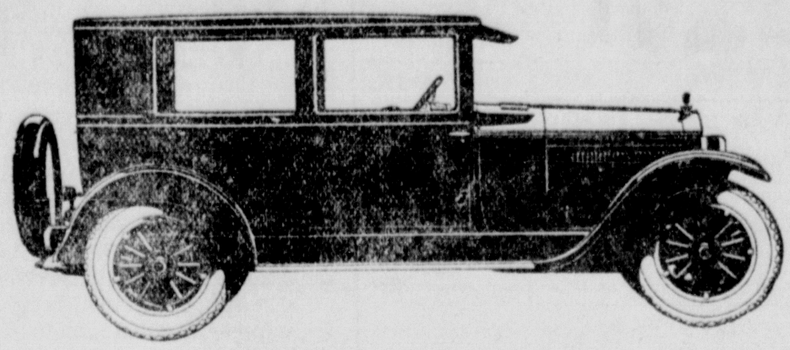
Herein fail not, but have before said court on the said first day of the next term thereof, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness, Penn Wolf, Clerk of the District Court of Milam County, Texas.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, in Cameron, this the 7th day of January A. D .1926.

Clerk of the District Court, Milam County, Texas.



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Condensed Statement

First National Bank

of Cameron, Texas

Statement of condition at the close of business Thursday December 31st, 1925, as reported to the Comptroller of Currency

RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	$508,996.50
Bills of Exchange	26,580.66
U. S. Bonds	75,000.00
Other Stocks and Bonds	60,205.00
Banking House	44,630.41
Furniture and Fixtures	24,823.55
Other Real Estate	19,824.68
Redemption	3,750.00
Cash and Exchange	125,340.42
Total	$889,151.22

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	75,000.00
Surplus and Profits	86,622.30
Dividends Unpaid	3,750.00
Circulation	73,700.00
Bills Payable	25,000.00
DEPOSITS	625,078.92
Total	$889,151.22

A. N. Green, President F. B. Cable, Cashier

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HOMES FOR LOW COST

A plan by which the author thereof claims that lower priced houses can be obtained for people of small and moderate means, is suggested by Governor Atterbury, member of the research council of the American institute of Architects. He has offered it to the chairman of the housing commission of New York state.

His idea is to organize the wholesale production of houses on the principle of factory production on a big scale, hoping to give people of small means their low cost houses as they have been given such things of low cost automobiles.

The cost of building houses has become so considerable as to constitute a heavy burden on the production of the United States. Many families are deterred from trying to own their own homes by the fact that houses cost so much.

The cost of such building is bound to be fairly high anyway, because of the way the country has wasted its wood material. We have swept down our forests ruthlessly, by unscientific methods of lumbering. Because of the depletion of these forest products which gave the country cheap houses so many years, we are forced to pay much more for building materials. We can plant new forests, but it will take a generation for them to reach the point where they will be ripe for cutting.

Meanwhile something needs to be done for the present generation of people who are afflicted by the high cost of building and high rentals. It is a problem calling for the study of the best technical and mechanical geniuses of the country, to see what suggestions they would make. One would like to see a man like Henry Ford take hold of this problem, and see if he could do anything of the same kind of work in getting construction costs down that has been accomplished in the field of automobile production.

THE SYMBOLS OF PATRIOTISM

It seems a rather strange thing to some of us that the doings of the English Prince of Wales get such a very large amount of space in our newspapers, showing that even the American people are somewhat impressed by the greatness of royalty. We claim to be democratic, but somehow we like to chase after royal personages. Very few Americans will draw the crowd that follows after the English prince every time he comes over here.

Americans will often ask how it is that the English people will continue to pay the large amount of money necessary to maintain a royal family, when the king has so little power of government, which authority is concentrated in a parliment and cabinet. The answer is perhaps, that the king is to them a symbol that stands for patriotism.

It is felt that while this monarch has little official power, yet he stands before the people as the visible expression of the national ideal, that people will show loyalty to him when they would not show it to the patriotic ideal, if that principle was simply a vague and abstract notion in the back of their heads.

There is something in that idea. We do not feel we need any kings or princes in this country, but we have to obtain the same result in a different way. One principalmethod by which we get it, is by exalting our flag. The sight of the flag seems to perform about the same purpose for Americans, that the sign of the king does for Britons.

We teach our young people to reverence the flag, not in any idolatrous worship of that particular piece of cloth, but because the flag stands for the idea of patriotism. Thus they form the habit of making sacrifices for their country. The flag seems to stir their emotion more than the abstract idea of patriotism could.

EFFICIENCY IN PRODUCTION

It appears that Samuel Gompers, former president of the American Federation of Labor, had a long correspondence in his later years with scientific men, on the subject of promoting efficiency in industrial operation. This statement was brought out by speakers at the meeting at Kansas City of the American Assiciation for the Advancement of Science.

The labor unions have often been opposed to what is called scientific management and efficiency methods in business, claiming that these so tend to speed up industrial operations as to create too much nervous strain. Yet during recent years, as this interest on the part of Mr. Gompers suggests, they have shown more sympathy with these methods.

The British Institute of Psychology has been able, through co-operation of wage-earners, to increase production in some directions by 40 per cent, at the same time that the fatigue of the workers was decreased. It is claimed that by such methods the efficiency of industrial operations would be increased from 10 to 100 per cent, and the amount of effort and fatigue

A great improvement in the welfare of the correspondingly decreased.
working masses and of the whole community can be obtained by these methods. If applied without due regard to the welfare of the worker, they might drive him too hard. But the labor organizations have a great chance to promote the advance of their own members, by co-operation with reasonable efficiency methods.

Anyone who ever worked in a factory knows that there is a quick way to do things, and also many slow, akward, and bungling ways. The question is to what is the quickest and easiest way needs to be scientifically studied, and the workmen should be taught to perform their tasks after such methods.

"ATMOSPHERE"

Much is said nowadays about the "atmosphere" which any product of human effort may suggest. The term may be considered rather "highbrow". Yet conveys a real meaning.

You go into some places and there is an air of discouragement. There may not be anything badly decadent, but the impression given by the whole picture is discouraging. There seems no sentmient of movement or progress.

And in some places, the buildings may not have cost any more, but there is an air of distinction. The care given to the homes and public edifices has given that town what would be called a fine "atmosphere."

Any town can get it. It does not necessarily cost very much money. But it does call for affectionate interest in our home and public buildings and streets and open spaces, and effort to make them more beautiful.

INDIVIDUAL AND COMMUNITY

The impression prevails with many that if their home city has capable public oficials and if it has good organizations working for public causes, there is nothing special left that the ordinary citizen needs to do to promote the development of his home town. But they are wrong. There are at least three things that good citizens should do for community development:-

1.—Join those local organizations which work for community development, and attend the meetings.

2.—Take an interest in public improvement measures, talk about them, and advocate putting them over in so far as they are practical and desirable.

3.—Devote time and effort to the improvement of one's home place, so that it shall be a model of an attractive residence and add to the beauty of the community.

Bright Wings of Romance

By RALPH D. PAINE

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TIME had been very cruel to Harriet Brent. To some women the years come like an Indian summer.

Harriet Brent lived alone in an old house, which also had come to have an aspect unlovely and forlorn. Foursquare to the road it stood, its fields bounded by stone walls heaped together by the tenacious toil of New England pioneers.

A house that still braved the weather staunchly, it had sheltered many children and known many joys and sorrows. This its broad roof conveyed to the passer-by. For one elderly woman to dwell alone in it was like sitting by the dead ashes of a hearthstone.

Harriet Brent was not unhappy. In her heart, which seemed untenanted by warm emotions, there lived unquenched one divine spark of the true romance. Her faded eyes could soften in wistful reverie.

The Harriet Brent of those many, many years gone by had been a sensitive, slender girl of a certain flower-like, fleeting beauty. Delicate, they had called her. A shy girl, moving in misty day-dreams which she had been reluctant to reveal.

Eighteen she was when the lad had come from a larger town for a brief visit with cousins on a nearby farm. So brief—only a week. He had made love to her, with an ardor boyish and turbulent. Unashamed, she had returned his kisses.

Careless, splendid, debonair, swearing he loved her forever and ever, he had passed on and forgotten her.

Harriet Brent did not forget him. Life is sometimes that way. The spirit of romance had once, only once, brushed her with its bright wings. Time healed the poignant sorrow. It came to be that she was glad to bear the scar. Even in these somber latter years she could sit and thank God that she had known love and kisses and aching rapture.

One day this harsh-featured, unsmiling spinster went out to feed the hens. She had clapped on a battered, haymaker's straw hat. A shawl was thrown over her faded shirt-waist. The old skirt had been chopped off to make it easier to do the chores. The rubber boots were handy, because there was mud in the hen yard.

The empty pan in her hand, Harriet Brent stood staring at a very large and glittering automobile which had halted in front of the house. The chauffeur was studying a weather-beaten guide-board on a post. A handsome woman, ruddy, dignified, spoke to the gentleman beside her. He left the car and walked to the gate of Harriet Brent's dooryard. She came clumping from the barn path to meet him.

"Is this the road to Warechester, if you please?"

"Yes, take the first road to the right after you climb the hill beyond the watering-trough."

"Thank you, and may my man have a pail of water to fill his radiator? If you will be good enough to show him where the well is—"

"I'll fetch you a pail," grimly spoke Harriet Brent. She lingered a moment to survey this vigorous, genial stranger with the close-cropped, grizzled mustache, the keen eyes, the air of substantial importance. Time had not been cruel to him. Life had been gracious nor had it obliterated that dominating quality which had made him victorious in boyhood.

Yes, Harriet Brent knew him as soon as they stood face to face, but the expression of her worn features was unchanged. She went into the shed and returned with a pail. The man who had come out of the past seemed in no haste to rejoin his wife in the car nor did he hear her when she called to him. He was gazing at the shabby old house and at the apple orchard beyond. His demeanor was curiously abstracted. His eyes were grave but his smile had a boyish sweetness as he said:

"This fine old place has run down. Too bad. I remember it years ago. A family named Brent lived here then. Do you know what became of them?"

"Dead and gone," replied Harriet. "You can see the stones in the little burying ground at the edge of the orchard.

"Yes, it was a long time ago. There was a daughter, a very lovely girl. I met her one summer, when I was a boy. Married, I suppose, and a grandmother by now?"

"She has gone, too, so I've heard say," steadily answered Harriet in a low voice. Her hand pulled the edges of the shawl together and remained there to rest on her heart. "Yes, the girl you used to know has gone from here."

His wife spoke impatiently. He turned with a start. Presently the car rolled away from the house by the road. He glanced back, more than once. From behind the ancient lilac bush, Harriet Brent watched the car vanish. Then she clasped her hands and murmered, in prayer:

"Oh, thank God he didn't know me. But he remembered—and he loved to remember. He was loving the girl that has gone. I didn't expect anything could ever make me so happy."

She went into the house and kindled a blaze in the huge fireplace of the sitting-room. By its glow she sat with folded hands, while the red coals covered the dead ashes. Her face was no longer harsh and unlovely. The bright wings of romance had brushed it.

BANKER-FARMER MEETING NOTES

A conference of bankers and farmers of the Fifth Federal Reserve District held recently at Raleigh, North Carolina, under the auspices of the American Bankers Association Agricultural Commission, adopted the following principles:

"In order to encourage and promote a safe, sane and constructive system of farm practices, the Banker and Farmer Conference of the Fifth Federal Reserve District would make the following recommendations with reference to the activities of farmers and bankers on which to concentrate efforts during the coming year:

"1. Encouragement of loans by bankers to bright and deserving young men and young women who wish to go to college to study agriculture and home economics.

"2 Promote in a rational and conservative way the economic increase in the productiveness of the soils of the district so that a larger unit of crop production may be secured. Small unit yields of necessity are expensive while moderate to large yields of crops are generally the cheapest. Larger yields per acre coupled with a reduction in the acreage, when advisable, should and usually will be more profitable and when handled properly will not lead to an over-production.

"3. Encouragement of a proper system of diversified farming in which farmers will grow as far as practical all the food and feed crops necessary for feeding the family and livestock of the farm, and to keep on the farms the requisite kinds and amounts of livestock best to meet the economic needs of farming.

"4. To formulate and put in motion definite plans for carrying out this program, it is urged that the Agricultural College of the District put a county agent in every county and that a banker-farmer conference be called to meet early in the fall at the agricultural college of each State."

NATION'S SAVINGS PLANT TRIPLED

Savings banks and banks having distinct savings departments, not counting branches, have grown in numbers in the United States from 5,376 in 1912 to 16,709 in 1922 or an increase of about 210 per cent in ten years, says the Savings Bank Division of the American Bankers Association. Savings deposits, it is pointed out, now comprise about one-half of all bank deposits of every description.

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Witness, Penn Wolf, Clerk of the District Court of Milam County, Texas.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, in Cameron, this the 7th day of January A. D .1926.

Clerk of the District Court, Milam County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Milam County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause the following notice to be published in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year preceding the date of the notice in the County of Milam, State of Texas, and you shall cause said notice to be printed at least once each week for a period of ten days exclusive of the first day of publication before the return day hereof:

Notice of Application For Probate Of Will

The State of Texas,

To all persons interested in the estate of Frank R. Chapman, Mary Chapman deceased, has filed in the County Court of Milam County, an application for the probate of the last will and testament of said Frank R. Chapman, deceased, filed with said application, and for Letters Testamentary which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in February A. D. 1926, the same being the first day of February A. D. 1926, at the Court House thereof, in Cameron, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Cameron, Texas, this the 6th day of January A. D. 1926.

LILIAN ATKINSON clerk
County Court, Milam County, Texas.

NOSE CLOGGED FROM A COLD OR CATARRH

Apply Cream in Nostrils To Open Up Air Passages.

Ah! What relief! Your clogged nostrils open right up, the air passages of your head are clear and you can breathe freely. No more hawking, snuffling, mucous discharge, headache, dryness—no struggling for breath at night, your cold or catarrh is gone.

Don't stay stuffed-up! Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from your druggist now. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream in your nostrils, let it penetrate through every air passage of the head; soothe and heal the swollen, inflamed mucous membrane, giving you instant relief. Ely's Cream Balm is just what every cold and catarrh sufferer has been seeking. It's just splendid.

Official Statement of financial condition of the

BURLINGTON STATE BANK

at Burlington, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1925, published in the Cameron Herald, a newspaper printed and published at Cameron, State of Texas, on the 14th day of January, 1926.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, undoubtedly good on personal or collateral security	$101,497.71
Loans secured by real estate, worth at least twice the amount loaned thereon	300.00
Overdrafts, undoubtedly good	268.56
Bonds, stocks and other securities	127.40
Real Estate (banking house)	3,000.00
Other real estate	2,261.15
Furniture and Fixtures	2,985.00
Cash on hand	5,808.84
Due from approved reserv eagents	28,462.60
Interest in Depositors' Guaranty Fund	3,686.12
Assessment Depositors' Guaranty Fund	5,500.00
Grand total	153,897.38

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	30,000.00
Other surplus fund	4,500.00
Undivided profits, net	3,643.90
Individual deposits subject to check on which no interest is paid	80,315.17
Individual deposits on which interest is paid or contracted to be paid	15,200.00
Time Certificates of deposit	19,666.80
Cashier's Checks Outstanding	134.70
Reserved for taxes	436.81
Grand total	153,897.38

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of January, A. D. 1926.

E. P. Lester, Notary Public, Milam County, Texas.

State of Texas, County of Milam, We, T. F. Hardy, as President, and Jno. P. O'Neill, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

T. F. HARDY, President
JNO. P. O'NEILL, Cashier

CORRECT—ATTEST:
T. J. O'Neill
E. P. Lester
Geo. T. Graves, Directors

Chevrolet Head Says 1926 Will Be Year Of Gain For Cars

W. S. Knudsen president and general manager of the Chevrolet Motor company predicts continued prosperity for the automotive industry during 1926.

"My opinion is that 1926 will be a good year in the automobile industry," he said.

"That there will be as many passenger cars sold at retail as in 1925.

"That there will be more trucks sold at retail than in 1925.

"That dealers will improve their merchandising methods and the dealers who do will increase their turnover.

"That used cars will have to be treated as merchandise and dealt in as such at fair prices and in running order.

"That dealers' improvements in shops and tools will help to reduce the maintenance cost of automobiles.

"That people will never stop buying good motor cars at the right price."

Monday January 11th, will mark the opening of a veterinary hospital in Waco, a home for dogs and other small animals. Dr. G. E. utton, veterinarian, for seven years a member of the faculty of A. and M. College, and for some months past having made his residence in Cameron, Texas, where he has been practicing, will open a place at 1925 Mitchell avenus. Dr. Sutton advises that this place will accommodate about thirty-five dogs comfortably. In a short while, however, he expects to have under construction a large up-to-date hospital. Dr. Sutton, with others, has been figuring for some two or three months on locating in Waco and building a modern hospital. The location has been hard to secure, and until the right location can be obtained Mr. Sutton will practice at the address given above.—Waco News Tribune.

Ouch! Aching Joints, Rub Rheumatic Pain

Rub Pain right out with small trial bottle of old "St. Jacobs Oil."

Rheumatism is "pain" only.

Not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Stop drugging! Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil" right into your sore, stiff, aching joints, and relief comes instantly. "St. Jacobs Oil" is a harmless rheumatism liniment which never disappoints and cannot burn the skin.

Limber up! Quit complaining! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" at any drug store, and in just a moment you'll be free from rheumatic pain, soreness and stiffness. Don't suffer! Relief awaits you. "St. Jacobs Oil" is just as good for sciatica, neuralgia, lumbago, backache, sprains.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wooton of Waco were holiday guests in Cameron.

Local and Personal

Miss Jane Caton was chosen by the Business and Professional Women's Club to sponsor the sale of Stone Mountain Memorial Coins.

Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Guinn returned Monday from a ten days visit to Dallas.

WOOD—For sale. Phone 380. R. A. Lampkin. 2tp.

Miss Susie Butts was in Cameron Saturday.

Judge O. C. Nolte of Ben Arnold was in town on business Tuesday.

Jack Folmar of Gause was a business visitor in Cameron on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Williams and Lester Williams went to Rosebud on Friday.

Mrs. L. L. Albertson of San Antonio visited Mrs. A. R. ONeal last week.

Pansy Plants for sale, Phone 532.

Hillry Stedman has returned to Smithville after a short visit to relatives and friends in Cameron.

Messrs. Rogers and Davenport of Rockdale had business with the County Clerk's office on Tuesday of this week.

Little Miss Johnnie Mae Hays has returned to Hearne after a visit to Dr. and Mrs. G. B. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Oneil motored to Milano Sunday to visit Mrs. Homan Thompson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Ables of Rosebud were recent guests in the A. R. Oneal home.

Lost—Early Wednesday morning between Cameron and Ben Arnold a black hand bag containing baby clothes, ladies gloves, shell rim glasses, lady's purse containing $7.00 and other items. Phone 499. 1tc
Mrs. Jim Adams, Cameron, Tex.

Jack Taylor of Baylor University spent Sunday night with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. B. Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Looney of Bartlett have concluded a visit to Mr. Looney's mother, Mrs. I. Looney in Ben Arnold.

Wanted: Bohemian girl to cook and keep house,
Mrs. Perry Wilkerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wilson have returned to San Marcos after a week end visit to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Beard.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Beard and children, Garland and Verna Beth went to Milano Sunday to visit the family of Mrs. Beard's sister Mrs. Henry Woods.

For Rent—Furnished 5 room home, almost new and close in. Phone 325. 2t

G. D. Hooker Jr., spent a few days this week with Mrs. Sam Deer on his way home from Lott to Brenham.

Messrs Joseph Schiller and J. F. Pagach of Burlington were in Cameron on busines Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Conally and son, Milton have returned to Cisco after a short visit to Mrs. Conally's sister, Mrs. Leland Green and other relatives in this section.

For Rent—Nicely furnished 2 or 3 room apartment near high school.
Phone 325 2t

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cobb have shipped their household goods to Hamilton, Texas and will leave this week to establish their home in that enterprising town.

Buy Direct From Owner—Threshed Maize, Maize Heads, German Millet Seeds, Millet Hay and Red Top Cane Seed, Car load or as wanted. It
E. B. Massie, Agent.
Floydada, Texas.

At a congregational meeting last Sunday night at the Presbyterian church, the following committee on plans for the new church building was selected:

C. W. Lawrence, A. F. Mitchell, Mrs. John Watson, Mrs. Paul Webb, Mrs. W. G. Gillis, Monta Thomas and E. Eggert.

Frostproof Cabbage and Crystal Wax onion plants. Express 6000-$7.50, postpaid, 1000-$1.75, 500-$1.00, Bermudas Express, 6000-$5.50, postpaid, 1000-$1.25. Good supply ready for immediate shipment. Send for wholesale prices.
Sewell Company, Inc. Station A.
San Antonio

Upon information received from Sheriff Blaylock of Cameron, Stash Beiznski was arrested in Marlin by the sheriff's department there Tuesday. Beiznski was brought here and placed in the Cameron jail. He is charged with five cases of forgery, alleged to have been committed during the months of November and December 1925.

Mrs. J. W. Coleman left Sunday for Cuero to spend a week with her daughter, Mrs. Earl Evers who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coleman since Christmas.

CUSTOM HATCHING

Texas Cotton Palace Hatchery
Waco, Texas

100 Eggs $3.00
"We set every day—Capacity 75,000
We buy eggs from purebred culled flocks. 3t

Rockdale, Tex., Jan. 9.—While playing with a shotgun, a group of lads at Beck Prarie in some way fired the gun and the shot mortally wounded Junior Bates, two years old. The shot tore the childs shoulder nearly off and he died a few hours later.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Oneal and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Huse Ables in Rosebud last week.

Mrs. Fred Felcman of Ennis is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Will Marek this week.

Miss Lily McCall spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Macal in Waco.

Mr. Henry Heitman of Oakdale has been in the Cameron Hospital this week. He is reported improving.

Miss Mollie Allen spent last week visiting her cousin, Mrs. Ike Looney in Ben Arnold.

Lee McCollum transacted business in Cameron on last Friday.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Herald is authorized to make the following announcements subject to action of the City Primary in the city of Cameron on Tuesday February 9 1926.

For Assessor and Collector:
DAN GUNN
DAN TYSON

For City Marshall:
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SULPHUR CLEARS A PIMPLY SKIN

Apply Sulphur as Told When Your Skin Breaks Out

Any breaking out of the skin on face, neck, arms or body is overcome quickest by applying Mentho-Sulphur. The pimples seem to dry right up and go away, declares a noted skin specialist.

Nothing has ever been found to take the place of sulphur as a pimple remover. It is harmless and inexpensive. Just ask any druggist for a small jar of Rowles Mentho-Sulphur and use it like cold cream.

If Back Hurts Flush Kidneys

Eat less meat, also take glass of Salts before breakfast occasionally.

Too much meat may form uric acid, which excites the kidneys; they become overworked; get sluggish, ache and feel like lumps of lead. The urine becomes cloudy; the bladder is irritated, and you may be obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night. When the kidneys clog you must help them flush off the body's urinous waste or you'll be a real sick person shortly. At first you feel a dull misery in the kidney region; you suffer from backache, sick headache, dizziness, stomach gets sour, tongue coated and you feel rheumatic twinges when the weather is bad.

Drink lots of water; also get from any pharmacist four ounces of Jad Salts, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity, also to help neutralize the acids in urine, so it no longer is a source of irritation, thus often ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, can not injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia water drink which everyone should take now and then to help keep the kidneys clean and active. Druggists here say they sell lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in correcting kidney trouble while it is only trouble.

PRESERVES

Del Monte, 13 1-2-oz Tumbler	28c
Oranges, 50 for	50c
Mince Meat, quart jar	46c
Hot Relish, 8- oz jar	11c
Tomato Sauce, Del Monte, 8oz jar	4c
Kraut, solid pack, 5 gal. keg	$2.95

Limit One Each—Saturday & Monday

Mary Jane Syrup, gallon	65c
Mary Jane Syrup, case of 6 gallons	$3.35
Shredded Wheat, 2 packages for	25c
Carnation Milk, talls, 2 cans for	25c
Carnation Milk, baby, 4 cans for	25c
Prepared Mustard, quart jar	35c
Cocoa, half-pound can	10c
Sliced Pineapple, No. 1 can	15c
Karo Syrup, Blue Label, 10 lb bucket	60c
Karo Syrup, Blue Label, per case, 6 buckets	$3.00
White Karo Syrup, gallon	65c
Peanut Butter, per pound	20c
6-5c Boxes Matches	25c
Flour, Whole Wheat, 12 lb sack	.65
6 pound pail Crisco	$1.40
3 pound pail Maxwell House Coffee	1.45
3. lb. Pail Magnolia Coffee, cup and saucer	1.40
3 pounds Our Best Peaberry Coffee	$1.00

FISK TIRES

30 x 3 Fisk "96" Fabric	$5.95
30 x 3 1-2 Fisk "96" Fabric	$7.85
30 x 3 Fisk Red Top	$11.95
30 x 3 1-2 Fisk Red Top	$16.95
36 x 6 Fisk Premier Truck Cord	$64.20
30 x 3 1-2 Trumpet Heavy Red Tube	$2.85
34 x 4 Premier Heavy Red Tube	$3.50

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Tiny Finds a Way

By HOMER B. KING

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TO BIG JIM CARNAHAN—Lippy—and Tiny Perkin, had come the parting of the ways.

It was the finding of a rich old river bed at the end of the fifty-foot tunnel they had driven into a hill that caused the trouble; after years of seeking, the possibility of sudden wealth had suddenly awakened in Lippy the devil cupidity.

Today the last of the gravel they had wheeled out was being sluiced and Carnahan had driven Tiny away, swearing he would twist his skinny old neck if he came back before the work was finished. Sneaking around through the brush, Tiny hid close to where the big fellow was working, and for two hours watched him, and before leaving he knew Carnahan was robbing him.

When Carnahan entered the cabin Tiny greeted him in his usual cheery manner.

"How'd she clean, Lippy, boy?" he chirped.

"Not much—that's all." Carnahan growled, dropping two slim buckskin dust bags on a slab table.

An hour after Carnahan took from beneath his bunk two other bags of gold dust.

"Pull up!" he ordered. "I'm going to divide what we've got."

"What's the idea, boy? Can't we do that when we get to Mt. Idaho?"

"No! We're splittin' right now."

"Why?"

"Because," Lippy rasped, thrusting his heavy face forward, "because, old man, you leave tomorrow for outside. I'm through supportin' you."

"Why, Lippy, you ain't supportin' me—our claim's more than doin' that."

Carnahan laughed shortly.

"Our claim?" he scoffed. "Ain't you woke up yet to the fact that you ain't got no claim? It's mine, old man."

After pouring half of the second bag on a piece of paper, folding it and pushing it toward Tiny, he rose, and first placing his gold beneath his jacket pillow he dropped on his bunk.

For a time Tiny sat silent. "Boy," he at last quivered, "what you've done ain't square, but I've lived a long time and seen lots of things—and understand. I've found out that gold madness is worse than most anything a man can get—and Lippy you've got it!"

"Shut up or I'll—"

"See," Tiny interrupted, "it'd make you murder your best friend. Come on, son, let's get away. We'll go down to Mt. Idaho and spend the winter."

Carnahan leaped to his feet. "Cut it, you old rat! I know what you are drivin' at—you want to get me out where you can make a fight for half of this claim. Well, you don't do it—and tomorrow you git!"

It was after midnight when Tiny, leaving Carnahan snoring loudly, slipped out and hurried up the creek to the tunnel. Lighting a stub of candle he went inside. In half an hour he found Carnahan's cache. His next move was to stick fuse into several sticks of giant. Five fuses he capped; the others he only tied to the powder and dropped them into a sack which he hung across his shoulder, leaving the fuses dangling. Next he placed two of the loaded sticks at the tunnel mouth, lighted them and ran down the creek toward the cabin.

He was still running when the explosion came and small rocks rattled about him. He heard the roar of sliding earth and knew the tunnel was no more. Next he heard Carnahan yelling his name as he ran toward him, and slipping into the brush he let him rush past. Then he ran on to the cabin.

First he took the gold from beneath Carnahan's pillow. Next he carried out their remaining grub, Carnahan's clothes and their blankets. Dividing the food he put his part into his sack; the other half he left on top of the blankets. Placing two sticks of giant in the doorway he again ran. Then came the roar and the cabin was a jumble of logs.

"Two minutes after, raging like a crazy man, Carnahan came running back, and Tiny, swinging about his head a stick of dynamite with lighted fuse, yelling like a mad man, leaped toward him.

"Git out of the way!" he screamed. 'Git! I'm comin'. I'm the powder man—powder man!" he sang, and disappeared into the bush as the roar of the powder he had thrown sounded.

Lippy gave one look and ran as though devils were pursuing him.

In Mt. Idaho, two days later, Lippy, red-eyed and haggard from sleepless nights of terror, stood before Sheriff Adams.

"I tell you, sheriff," he was saying, "he's plum crazy. Poor little devil. Way, man, he done his best to blow me to smitherins with dynamite. He did blow up our tunnel and cabin. We'd made the biggest cleanup of our lives, too, and he blowed it plum to kingdom come, but—"

"Hello, Lippy—figgered I'd find you here," Tiny called from the doorway. "Beat me in by an eyelash, didn't you?"

"Look out!" Lippy yelled, dodging behind a desk. "Look out! He's got the powder in that sack! Look out!"

Tiny grinned.

"Don't get excited, sheriff. I throwed the powder away 'fore I got into town. I got suthin' better'n powder here," and he dumped on the desk six buckskin bags. "Wish you'd weigh that sheriff. Half's mine and half's Lippy's. Him and me had a little argument back at the mine. Howsomever, it's settled now, ain't it, Lippy?"

Attend Funeral Of Aged Aunt In Belton

Messrs. Hubert Hefley, Sam Hefley, Jeff Hefley and Miss Willie Hefley went to Belton for the funeral of their aunt and great aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Hefley. The funeral was conducted from the home of Judge Mallory Blair as fire destroyed the home of Mrs. A. D. Potts, the daughter of the deceased, as preparations for the funeral were being made. The following notice of Mrs. Hefley's death was taken from the Waco Times Herald.

News has been received here of the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Hefley, mother of Messrs. George, Will and Bob Hefley, former citizens of Waco, and Mrs. A. D. Potts of Belton. Mrs. Hefley was for a number of years a resident of Belton. She and her husband, Major George Hefley, were pioneer settlers of Bell County. Whenever there was sickness or distress, there you found this noble couple ministering. They literally went about doing good and all the people were their friends. Kind, gentle, considerate, and religious, this couple was a benediction to the community in which they lived, and their children can rejoice in the fact that they are now together in God's upper and better kingdom.

Ray Westbrook of Ben Arnold was in Cameron Friday.

FELT SLUGGISH

Illinois Man Tells About His Relief from Indigestion.

"I used to suffer," says Mr. Walter W. Macdonald, of 711 Fairview Ave., Edwardsville, Ill., "with indigestion, a tight feeling in my chest after meals—felt sluggish, lazy and dull and out of sorts. I would be very constipated.

"Some one recommended Black-Draught. I began using it. I found it so very satisfactory I have used it ever since. I wouldn't be without it.

"My work is inside. I do not get as much exercise as I would like, and at times my system gets clogged and I would see the necessity of a good active medicine.

"After one or two doses of Black-Draught, my head clears up and I feel like new.

"For stomach or liver trouble, Black-Draught does good."

Thedford's Black-Draught is recommended by thousands of others for the relief of many common ailments due to a torpid liver, needing laxative or cathartic stimulation. Sold everywhere; 25c. C-30a

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In Use For Over 30 Years
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Drink Water If Kidneys Hurt

Take a tablespoonful of Salts if Back pains or Bladder bothers.

Too much meat may produce uric acid, says a well-known authority, who warns us to be constantly on guard against kidney trouble.

The kidneys do their utmost to free the blood of this irritating acid, but become weak from the overwork; they get sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and thus the waste is retained in the blood to poison the entire system.

When your kidneys ache and feel like lumps of lead, and you have stinging pains in the back, or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or the bladder is irritable, obliging you to seek relief during the night; when you have severe headaches, nervous and dizzy spells, sleeplessness, acid stomach or rheumatism in bad weather, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning, and in a few days your kidneys may act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys, to help neutralize the acids in urine so it is no longer a source of irritation, thus often ending urinary and bladder disorders.

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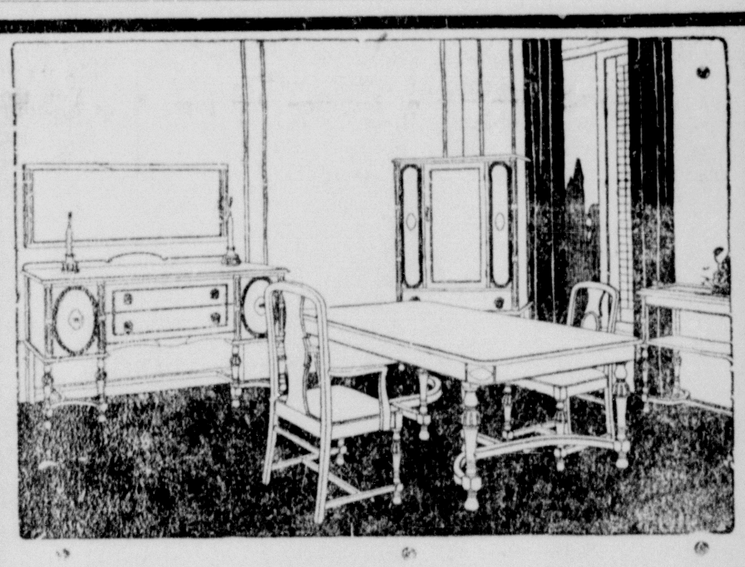

Your Home Is Your Palace

Why not furnish it as you would like it.

Never has there been as pretty designs, or better finish or construction as are being put out by the factories to day. Another thing—a housekeeping outfit can be had at very reasonable figures. Some think that furniture is still nearly as high as war times. This is not true. It is cut about half from war prices. Government figures show that it has the greatest reduction of any commodities from war prices.

We have an excellent selection of high grade bed room, Living and dining room suits in walnut and brown mahogany at prices that will interest you.

We Furnish The Home Complete and want to figure with you on your house keeping outfit—also have some bargains in used furniture.

Cameron Furniture Co.

Cameron, Texas

"A Mother's Love"

Is there anything short of the love of God that can be compared to the love of a mother for her child? We read in Holy rit, "That God so loved the world that he gave his only son" to die for us, and this is strong language, but what would a mother not do for her only son I saw a fragile, delicate woman for ten long weary weeks watch, and hold to her heart, a tender little child. I saw her very heart bleed when she saw it was withered and palid face, that it must soon be taken from her. These ten weeks of anxiety, aye mental anguish, made strength. She did not sleep, seldom fearful inroads upon her physical ate, and literally wore out the shoes upon her feet by patient and constant watching and I said, this is akin to God's love for his children, such a love that no other knows, but a Mother for her offspring. A father, it is said pities his child, but does he love it, with that same undying love as that manifested by a mother.

If a man is a good man and a woman is a good woman, the world will mourn with us over their misfortunes, and go to their graves with us, and perform for them the last sad rites, but if a man is a bad man (he may be a "red handed murderer" or the woman a Harlot, spurned by society, and pushed from the door by her own near kith and kin; yet the mother with the wrinkled face, and withered hands, full of sorrow, love and compassion, will wipe the death damp from her brow and implore a merciful God for the forgiveness of a fallen child.

The jury may have rendered a verdict, taking away that alone which God can give, and the judge with solemn mein may pronounce the sentence that falls upon listless ears, upon her son, but to the woman in a faded bonnet and bowed head, the words will go straight to her heart. It is her child, though wayward he may have been, his prattling voice and childish innocence are still fresh in her memory. She will follow him with none but the executioner to the gallows and like Mary at the cross with bleeding heart, will be a silent witness, and when the grass in the Potters field has covered his grave, at eventide she will visit this most sacred spot on earth to her; and with bent form, and a devotion born of Heaven she will moisten that mound with her tears and pay homage to her God.

Young man are you so fortunate to have a mother? If so, you possess a treasure indeed; if you should lose her, you would remember a thousand little things that she did that no one else could do. The bloom of womanhood may have long since faded from her cheeks, nevertheless put your arms about her, and tell her often that she is all the world to you. It will lighten her burdens, and cheer her in her declining years, and make you a happier and better man.

(The above was written by Ed. F English in Cameron, Texas, November 20th, 1909.)

CAR BURNED

The Chevrolet car of J. R. Hays was destroyed by fire about ten o'clock Wednesday evening when it skidded into a ditch near the McNeel residence, when Mr. Hays was on his way home.

The car barely escaped being overturned as it went into the ditch. Mr. Hays was attempting to pull out when the car caught fire.

The fire company was called out. Mr. Hays carried insurance.—Hearne Democrat.

HOMER PEEL IN HOUSTON

Homer Peel is now a visitor in Houston. His home is at Hearne. Upon arrival, he tendered congratulations to Ray Powell, who was wedded to Miss Ernestine Sandusky a short time ago.

Peel said that the rest that he has had since the close of the 1925 season has returned his throwing arm to its original condition. Because of a strain he favored the arm during the closing days of last season.

The St. Louis Cardinals purchased Peel last year about the same time that Goodwin was sold to the Cincinnati Reds, Benge to Cleveland and Kane and McCurdy to the White Sox. Kane has been returned to the local club.—Houston Chronical.

It will be of interest to the readers of the Visitor to know that Rev. E. L. Springer of Cameron has been elected missionary of Reobertson County Baptist Association. We understand he has accepted the work and will be on the field January 1. Brother Springer is known as the Railroad preacher, having been a railroad engineer for years before he began preaching. He comes highly recommended as not only a preacher but a man of many years successful experience as a missionary evangelist. We welcome him.—Baptist Visitor.

MAKE THIS YOUR GREAT YEAR

As you grow older, time seems to pass more quickly. And as you begin to think more seriously, you have a better appreciation of the fact that, generally speaking you do not make the best use of your time as it trickles thru the hour glass of the present into the fathomless abyss of spent days.

So now—to-day—we are taking this opportunity to call your attention to the fact that you have a chance to use three or four of the best months of the year profitably—to use them in such a way as to advance all of your personal interests.

We refer to the fact that Tyler Commercial College, Tyler, Texas, has begun its 26th year of teaching ambitious young people most thoroly and satisfactorily. You can prepare your self within a very short time to take a good position that will be open to you just as soon as you are qualified.

Successful business men and women look back upon the year when their decision to make themselves a factor in business really started them upward. The time is yours, now, to make the decision to go forward.

You have the energy—you have the ambition—you have the ability—the question is now have you the determination? If you have, you will at once begin to prepare yourself for a business career by securing the training which is offered thru the private secretarial, general banking, general business, general railroad, general Western Union, general civil service, general cotton classing, bookkeeping, shortmand (both Byrne simplified and Gregg systems taught), radio or penmanship courses of Tyler Commercial college. They teach these courses thoroughly in the shortest time and at the smallest cost.

Training is absolutely necessary to succeed in business. The largest commercial school in America can train you quickly. Their employment department can place you in a splendid position. This service has been rendered to thousands of others and can be rendered to you.

Do not delay—but make the first decision of your great year by immediately filling out and returning the coupon printed below for "Achieving Success in Business." The large book on business education will be sent to you free. Mail the coupon now.

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MANY CAMERON FOLKS HAVE FOUND HOW TO MAKE WORK EASIER

What is so hard as a day's work with an aching back?

Or sharp tabs of pain at every sudden twist or turn?

There is no peace from that dull ache.

No rest from the soreness, lameness and weakness.

Many folks have found relief through Doan's Pills. They are a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys.

Cameron people recommend Doan's.

Mrs. J. L. Brod, N. Crockett Ave., Cameron, says: "Stooping work sent sharp pains across my kidneys and it was hard to straighten. Then, too, a dull ache through the small of my back made me uncomfortable. Mornings my back was sore and lame and I felt worn out. My kidneys were out of order, too, acted entirely too frequently. I used Doan's Pills and one box rid me of the trouble."

60c at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

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We are profoundly grateful for the confidence implied in this response. We have tried to merit it with a banking service that goes beyond the ordinary—a service that manifests itself in a warm, sympathetic interest in the welfare of those who bank here.

A loyal, enthusiastic, efficient organization is here to serve you during 1926.

The "Welcome" sign is here always. Come to see us often. Meet your friends here. Use us for every service a good bank may perform.

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Growth In Deposits Since Opening Day May 9, 1925 Is Shown Below:

Date:	Deposits:
May 9, 1925,	$103,572.68
June 9, 1925,	152,342.37
June 30, 1925,	175,211.46
September 28, 1925,	208,693.54
December 31, 1925	261,421.16

TEXAS STATE BANK AND TRUST COMPANY
of Cameron, Texas
GUARANTY FUND BANK

236 DAYS OLD
Statement of the Condition of the
TEXAS STATE BANK & TRUST COMPANY
of Cameron, Texas.
At the close of business Thursday December 31, 1925

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts,	$164,820.70
Furniture and Fixtures,	6,049.07
Int. in Guaranty Fund,	1,500.00
Assessment for Guaranty Fund,	234.22
CASH,	142,434.48
	$315,038.47

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock,	$50,000.00
Undivided Profits,	3,617.31
DEPOSITS,	261,421.16
	$315,038.47

No City, County, State or other Public money on Deposit in this Bank.

TEXAS STATE BANK AND TRUST COMPANY of Cameron

HOW THE GREAT GUEST CAME

By Edwin Markham

Before the cathedral in grandeur rose
At Ingelburg where the Danube goes
Before the forest of silver spires
Went airly up to the clouds and fires;
Before the oak had ready a beam
While yet the arch was yet stone and dream.
There where the altar was later laid,
Conrad the cobbler plied his trade.

It happened one day at the year's white end
Two neighbors called on their old time friend:
And they, found the shop so meager and mean,
Made gay with a hundred boughs of green.
Conrad was stitching with face ashine
But suddenly stopped as he twitched a twine
"Old friends, good news! At dawn today
As the cocks were scaring the night away,
The Lord appeared in a dream to me
And said " I am coming your guest to be."
So I've been busy with feet astir,
Strewing the floor with branches of fir,
The wall is washed and the shelf is shined,
And over the rafter the holly twined
He comes today, and the table is spread
With milk and honey and wheaten bread."

His friends went home, and his face grew still
As he watched for the shadow across the sill.
He lived all the moments o'er and o'er
When the Lord should enter his lowly door.
The knock, the call, the latch pulled up,
The lighted face, the offered cup.
He would wash the feet where the spikes had been:
He would kiss the hands where the nails went in
And then at the last would sit with Him,
And break the bread as the day grew dim.

While the cobbler mused, there passed his pane
A beggar drenched by the driving rain.
He called him in from the stony street
And gave him shoes for his bruised feet.
The beggar went and there came a crone
Her face with wrinkles of sorrow sown
A bundle of fagots bowed her back
And she was spent with the wrench and rack.
He gave his loaf and studied her load
And she took her way on the weary load.
Then to his door came a little child
Lost and afraid in the world so wild
In the big, dark world, Catching it up
He gave it the milk in the waiting cup
And led it to its mother's arms
Out of the reach of the world's alarms.

The day went down in the crimson west
And with it the hope of the blessed Guest.
And Conrad sighed as the day turned gray
"Why is it, Lord, that your feet delay?
Did you forget that this was the day?
Then soft in the silence a voice he heard,
"Lift up your heart, for I kept my word
Three times I came to your friendly door,
Three times my shadow was on your floor.
I was the beggar with bruised feet,
I was the woman you gave to eat,
I was the child on the homeless street."

Mr. and Mrs. C. Dougherty of Lubbock, Texas visited Mr. and Mrs. G F. Childress and family for the week end. Monday Mrs. G. F. Childress left via the Santa Fe to make a tour of East Texas with Mr. and Mrs. Dougherty. They will visit relatives in Jacksonville, Wills Point and several other East Texas towns. Mrs. Childress left for an indefinite stay on this pleasant excursion in her uncle's, Mr. C. Dougherty's care.

For Sale: Safety Hatch Incubator, holds 240 eggs, practically new. 37-4t
J. Otto Kelm, Ben Arnold, Tex.

CARD OF THANKS

The value of friendship is better recognized when sorrow invades the home. We wish to thank each one for their deeds of kindness to us during the illness and death of our mother.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mohler & family

MR. ROBERT LEE

Mr. Robert Lee for more than forty years a resident of the Cedar Creek community, died Tuesday after a lingering siege of tuberculosis. He is survived by his wife and four children and a multitude of friends. He was buried in the Milano Cemetery on Wednesday. Rev. Dan Bounds, Christian preacher of Rockdale officiated at the services.

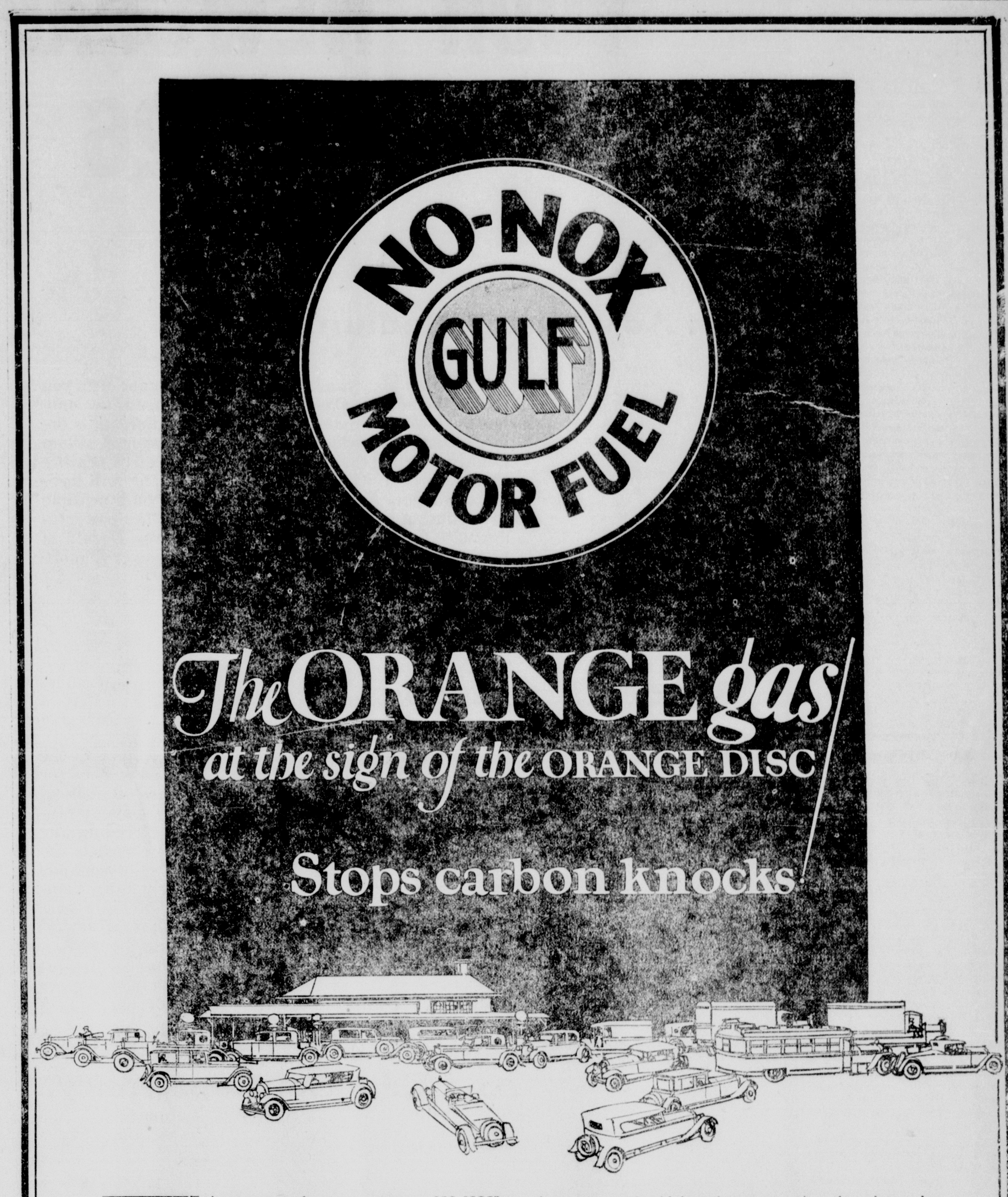
CORA MAE SHOAF

Cora Mae Shoaf, 19 day old baby girl of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shoaf, died Saturday morning, January 9 at 3:05. It is believed that the baby's death was caused from flu. Interment was held in Walker's Creek Cemetery Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Lovick and family visited Mrs. Lovick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dukes of Milano on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Stidham of Houston and two interesting little daughters, Charlotte and Sidney Jean are in Cameron to visit in the Stidham and Pardo homes this week.

Clayton Banzhaf of Temple visited his father Mr. George Banzhaf, County Farm Agent, this week.



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Manufactured in one refinery under the same skillful supervision and from the same grades of crude, it is continuously uniform which means much in carburetion. When the carburetor is once properly adjusted it requires no further change—care should be taken to see that the mixture is not too rich as NO-NOX works best with a thin mixture, thus insuring economy. With NO-NOX, perfect combustion takes place at just the right position of the piston head which entirely does *away with carbon knocks* or motor detonation—promoting greater efficiency of the engine, smoother operation of the car on the road, in traffic, and especially on heavy grades.

This wonderfully efficient gas is *guaranteed* to be *Non-Noxious, Non-Poisonous* and no more harmful to man or motor than ordinary gasoline.

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Drive to the nearest Gulf Service Station and try it out. It is readily distinguished by its color.

GULF REFINING COMPANY

IMPROVED CHEVROLET CARS SHIPPED HERE

JOE MIDDLETON SAYS CARS SHOW MANY NEW FEATURES FOR 1926

Joe Middleton, manager of the Cameron Chevrolet Company says the new Chevrolet cars are improved in many ways over the cars for 1925.

Many mechanical improvements in the face of price reductions, were displayed on the new Chevrolet cars at the beginning of the New York automobile show Saturday. The numerous mechanical improvements, together with lower prices, coming at this time when high tire costs threaten advanced car prices, concentrated attention on the Chevrolet exhibit.

The price reduction was announced several days ago by W. S. Knudsen, president of the Chevrolet motor company. At that time no mention was made of improvements to the car. These mechanical changes are designed to give even smoother operation, greater engine efficiency and smoother riding. One of the features is an air cleaner, something which only cars of much higher price have been equipped with heretofore.

Among the new improvements are: lighter pistons and pins; engine lubrication system of increased efficiency; special three point motor suspension and redesigned motor head with larger cooling areas around the valves, all of which contribute materially toward smooth operation. The new car is well cushioned by long semi-elliptic springs of special design.

The new piston assembly is about a half pound lighter, decreasing by approximately two pounds the total weight of moving parts in the cylinders. The piston is of the skeleton type, combining lightness with ample strength and large bearing surface.

Constant and complete lubrication is assured by the new oiling system which places the oil pump in the crank case where it is primed the moment the engine starts. It is driven from the cam shaft by noiseless gears. The new motor head with its larger cooling area increases value efficiency and life. The generator now is driven from the crank shaft by a V-type belt which also operates the fan. The water pump has a new mounting with larger bearings.

Other improvements are: an air cleaner at the intake opening of the air heater; tension springs at the joints of the spark and throttle control rods; greater rigidity in the dash and an increase of one-third in the braking area of the service brakes which are operated by an improved brake rod.

A PRETTY SENTIMENT

No mater how rough, how ragged or how sin-stained a man may become, he was once a little child; his head nestled on a soft bosom of a loving mother, and the holy sacrifice of pain she made when his life was ushered in cannot have been in vain. There is always, somewhere in the recesses of his heart, a spark of manhood left that can be fanned into a flame. Somewhere in the memory of the heart, recollections of dead mother still faintly linger, and benedictions of her prayers and her holy adoration for the little miniature man, all pure and pink and free from stain, has not been entirely forgotten, for it has kinship with Almighty God, Himself. If there were no derelicts upon the sea of life, no stumblers where the road is rough, no gaunt and hungry faces, no worn and weary bodies, no souls depressed with sin and shame, this world would be heaven enough; God's plan would be completed and the story would be ended. They are all a part of that ultimate plan, and are not to be depressed; but they are needful and we, having something to spare which they have not, should let our sympathies have sway and by the exercise of a real helpful interest, do our best to bring to pass the mothers hope—her sweet dream as she crooned a lullaby over her dimpled darling asleep in her tender arms.—Ex.

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YOUR NEWSPAPER FOR 1926

An Advertising Medium——

When you plan your advertising budget for 1926 you should include the Cameron Herald because it not only has the lowest rate consistent with circulation but is the largest and most widely circulated newspaper in Milam County. During the coming year while we are beating back to prosperity the power of advertising will have its part in your business and it is now no longer possible to conduct a successful business without the powerful agencies for publicity. Include the Cameron Herald in your plans for 1926 and get your message over to more people than any two newspapers combined.

Reader Satisfaction——

1926 is campaign year; a year of importance to the county, state and nation. The voter who subscribes for a county newspaper will keep well informed on political developments. You will make no mistake reading the Cameron Herald for not only will this newspaper maintain a consistent editorial policy but will chronicle the news without partizanship, looking only to the demands of the large family of readers for the New Year. Cameron Herald will have its opinions and will not be afraid to express them. You may not agree with its editorials but you will respect its fairness in printing the news.

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THE YEAR

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Baptist Church News

THE BEST IN THE HISTORY OF THE CHURCH

Last Sunday morning, Bro. Beckerman, the church treasurer, read his annual report to the church. There is not any question in any ones mind but that it was the best report ever made at the conclusio nof a years work.

We have had a larger program this year than ever before in that for a part of the year we have had two paid men, and with the enlarged program there has not been one month this year that the church did not meet every obligation promptly and have money left. It is gratifying to be associated with a church that is able to take care of every obligation as they come due. That fact may obtain with most any church in the country If things are carried on in a business like way.

We are to be specially grateful for this past year's work when we consider the fact that it was the worst year in the memory of the old settlers in general finances. But in spite of the fact that many of our members left this section because of financial conditions, many businesses suffered greatly, our church did a thing unheard of in its history: it paid all obligations and came to the close of the year with a balance of $1200 plus. This past year's record was not made by one or a few of our wealthy members coming to the rescue of the church in a hard time, but by the many small gifts and a large per cent of our people paying regularly this standard was obtained. Let us thank God and renew our energies. The report of the treasurer appears in this issue of the Messenger.

FELLOWSHIP FUND

I wish here that I might give a complete report of every dime of our Fellowship Fund, but the very nature of this work forbids. This is an account that is allowed to go to as much as $200.00 per year. This $200.00 is to be used by the pastor without publicity when these needy causes are brought to his attention. It is not meant in any way to take the place of public charity but when the pastor is visiting the sick who are in need or needy cases are brought to his attention he will not be empty handed, but can provide some of the essentials in the name of the church and yet not have to give the name of the party, thereby making it an embarrassing occasion. If one of our number is in need we want to help him bear his burden, and do it in such a way that he will not be embarrassed in the least. Hence we have what we call the Fellowship Fund, and it is a real pleasure to have a small part in helping our fellows along the way.

If it were not for embarrassing those who have been helped, since I as pastor have used this fund, I would be delighted to just give a list of those helped and what it was for. Your money has been used for many things the following are on the list, all of which you would be in perfect harmony if the names were given: Ambulance service, medicine, dry goods, groceries many times, railroad fare a few times, house rent, and many other worthy calls have been answered by your liberality. On one occasion a mother came to me saying that her fatherless boy nine or ten years old must discontinue his school work because of failing eyes. She said she did not have the money to pay for examination and glasses. I arranged with Mr. Evans to fit the boy out with glasses and paid the bill so the boy may continue in school and thereby not go into the great game of life with all odds against him. Mr. Evans fitted the glasses and allowed me to pay only the price of the glasses and his services were donated. I am sure if I could go into many of these cases you would rejoice over the few burdens we have lifted with this Fund. "In as much as ye have done it nuto one of the least of these, ye have done it unto me," said the Savior.

TREAURER'S REPORT FOR 1926

Receipts

Jan. 1 Money on hand	$ 526.43
Collected through envelopes	6981.48
Sunday School	664.25
Plate Collections	413.68
Spetcial Collections:	
Dr. Copass (Revival)	450.00
Burial of Ponder	24.00
Foreign Missions	203.59
Watermellons	40.00
Buckner Orphan's Home	273.80
Mexican Church	12.00
Denominational	3547.26
Sunday School Annex	2234.51
Total	$15,371.27

Disbursements

Pastors Salary	$2700.00
Assistant Pastor	1175.00
Associational Missions	500.00
Music	251.00
Sexton	360.00
Water, Lights	341.29
Sunday School Literature	539.44
Fellowship Fund	147.00
Publicity	91.61
Convention Trips	150.00
Insurance (three years)	240.80
Pulpit upply	65.00
Repair Work	341.85
Foreign Missions (special)	203.50
Orphan's Home	273.80
Dr. Copass (revival)	450.00
Gift to Dr. Scarborough	45.50
Baptist Standard	46.00
Burial of Ponder	30.00
Watermelons	40.36
Incidentals	583.97
Paid to Denomination	3547.26
Sunday School Annex	2234.51
Total	$14258.39
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1926	$1012.88

THE MESSENGER PUBLISHED ON TUESDAY

For a while at least, we will publish the Messenger on Tuesday instead of Friday. This change is made because the last days of the week are filled with many other things so if the paper can be put out of the way by that time it will be a great help. Then too, often times the Messenger fails to reach its readers until after Sunday. By mailing it earlier in the week the readers will be certain to get it before Sunday. It will be necessary for you to get any notices or announcements in on Monday if you want them published. We are always glad to publish any article from any class or department. Remember it must be in the hands of the pastor Monday.

REV C. L. BOONE ELECTED MISSIOANRY

Last Sunday afternoon Rev. C. L. Boone was unamously elected Missionary of this County. Br. Boone has been pastor at Little River for the past two years. He is a good constructive man, and devotes his time to preaching the Gospel and building the kingdom of our Master. Bro. Boone will move his family to Cameron this week. He started his work last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Newton and Mrs. Beard attended the two funerals of Mr. Sam McGregor and Mr. Lee at Milano Wednesday afternoon.

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FLOUR	Acorn Extra High Patent	$2.50	CRISCO	Large Bucket	1.60
FLOUR	Elberta Highest Patent	2.35	COOKING OIL	One Oallon White	1.22
FLOUR	Peerless	2.15	GOOD SOAP	22 Bars for	1.00
MEAL	25 Pound Sack	.75	SYRUP	1 Gallon Bucket Brer Rabbit	.85
COFFEE	3 1-4 Pounds Good Rio	1.00	SYRUP	1 Gallon Bucket Mary Jane	.70
COFFEE	2 1-2 Pounds best Peaberry	1.00	KARO	Syrup, white 1 gallon bucket	.75
COFFEE	Maxwell House	1.60	RICE	12 Pounds for	1.00
BUCKET LARD	8-Lb. Bucket	1.40	CATSUP	1 Gallon can	.75
SNOWDRIFT	Lard, per Pound	.16	TOMATOES	1 Dozen No. 2	1.35
PINTO BEANS	15 Pounds for	1.00			

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Every Community Is Known by it's Utilities

When a stranger comes to town all he has to do is to use his eyes and his intelligence to know what kind of a town it is. If he finds modern electric lights and abundant electric power, he knows that there is a wide-awake, prosperous, progressive community. If he doesn't find these things, no amount of verbal "boosting" is going to convince him that this town is a desireable place in which to live and work and invest his money. For he realizes that a prosperous, growing electric light and power system means a prosperous, growing community, made up of broad minded, progressive citizens.

Americar public services are the envy of th eworld, because it is here that the greatest progress has been made i ntheir development. Electric light and poweer, electric transportation, the telephone and telegraph, in fact all of the utility services except gas, originated in the minds of inventive Americans. As general public servants they have become every-day necessities of modern life. They brighten and accelerate all social, commercial and industrial activity.

Your Electric Lighting system is an invaluable asset to your community, and as such it is regarded by every thoughtful citizen. You are a partner in it. Keep it prosperous and expanding as you would any other business in which you have an interest.

"Your Electric Servant"

TEXAS PUBLIC UTILITIES CO.

Revivalists in Meeting Here

The revival being conducted by Evangelist A. B. McReynolds, the T. C. U. Bible college evangelist, is drawing great crowds each night. Every foot of available space was utilized Sunday night and the spacious auditorium was filled to the limit, many were turned away, while others remained on the outside looking thru the windows.

Mr. McReynolds has been preaching mostly to church members saying repeatedly that he preferred to win the Cameron church members to Christ, rather than adding some new members to the church. Never-the-less, there have been several additions and many others are expected.

Tithing is the theme of many of his subjects, and he presents this subject in such a thorough and convincing way that many of his hearers have already signified their intention to pay a tithe to the Lord through the church during the year.

In his last meeting at McKinney, Texas, evangelist McReynolds signed up every member in the church to pay God a tithe through the church during the year 1926.

The meeting will continue until the middle of next week and the song service directed by Miss Annabel Hall of Fort Worth will begin each night at 7:30.

The person who guessed Mr. McReynold's text for last Tuesday night was Mrs. Alice Brashear. She was presented with a beautiful Bible. Two others also guessed the text, the saddest words uttered by Jesus, Mr. R. B. Rylander and Miss Lela Maurine Batte. The words are, "Ye Will Not Come Unto Me That Ye May Have Life."

Cameron Loses Meet Of Texas Brass Bands

Mr. Geo. Fairleigh, director of the Cameron Municipal Band, returned Tuesday night from Waco where he attended a meeting of the Texas Band Masters Association. There were about 140 band masters in attendance. Mr. Fairleigh invited the association to meet in Cameron next year and lost to Waco by only a few votes. Waco was selected as the next meeting place for the East Texas Band Competition. The Cameron Municipal Band was one of the highest prized, and the highest class in the competition last year in Corsicana. Although there has been a higher class added for this year, Mr. Fairleigh is cinfident that he will again be able to win and has come home to begin work with that in view. He also expects the junior high school band to take first place in their class. A great many of the parents of the members of the junior high school band have already pledged themselves to attend the competition which will boost Cameron and encourage the boys to do their best. The city council has renewed Mr. Fairleigh's contract for another year, and have expressed themselves as being highly pleased with the progress made during the past year, and thanked Mr. Fairleigh for the splendid co-operation and assistance rendered the Commercial Club on their trade trips during the summer.

Drugs Excite the Kidneys, Drink Water

Take Salts at First Sign of Bladder Irritation or Backache

The American men and women must guard constantly against kidney trouble because we often eat too much rich food. Our blood is filled with acids which the kidneys strive to filter out; they weaken from overwork, become sluggish, the eliminative tissues clog and the result is kidney trouble, bladder weakness and a general decline in health.

When your kidneys feel like lumps of lead; your back hurts or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night; if you suffer with sick headache, or dizzy, nervous spells, acid stomach, or if you have rheumatism when the weather is bad, begin drinking lots of good soft water and get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts. Take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine.

This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help flush and stimulate clogged kidneys, to neutralize the acids in the system so they no longer are a source of irritation, thus often relieving bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; can not injure, makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink and belongs in every home, because nobody can make a mistake by having a good kidney flushing any time. By all means have your physician examine your kidneys at least twice a year.

BACK HURT BAD

Lady Had Severe Pains in Back and Got Very Weak.

"I think very highly of Cardui for I have had great benefit from its use," says Mrs. Cora Nicholson, of Ware Shoals, S. C.

"I was in bed quite a while. It looked like my strength would not come back, and I suffered with severe pains in my back whenever I would try to get up. Sometimes I would scream out, my back hurt me so bad.

"My husband got me some Cardui and I took two bottles. Very shortly after I began to take it I could notice I felt better. I began to get stronger. My appetite was improving and I could see that I was much better.

"After I had finished the second bottle I was able to be up and do all my own housework, so of course I think Cardui is fine. It is the best tonic for women that I know anything about, and I am glad to recommend it. Not long ago I told a lady friend of mine about it, and it did her as much good as it has done for me."

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The Woman's Tonic

CARD OF THANKS

To those who were so kind and thoughtful of us during the recent death of our dear mother, we extend our heartfelt thanks. We also express our appreciation to the Ellen Caver Class for the beautiful floral offerings.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Luce
Henry Evans and family
Bob Evans and family
Charles Evans

Monday afternoon Messrs. Lacy, Sterling, Newton and Keeling, Cameron teachers and the Yoe High Basket ball team went to Belton for a game on Monday evening. The following Yoe Hi boys made up the team and extras: Albert Horstman, Hooks Slocomb, Hugh McKinney, Geo. W. Triggs and Louis Hertenberger.

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Get the right remedy—the best men know. So quick, so sure that millions now employ it. The utmost in a laxative. Bromide-Quinine in ideal form. Colds stop in 24 hours, La Grippe in 3 days. The system is cleaned and toned. Nothing compares with Hill's.

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INTERSCHOLASTIC MEET AT ROCKDALE MARCH 19

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE ARANGES FOR PROGRAM IN MEETING HERE

The executive committee of the Milam County Intersheolastic League met at Cameron January 9, and drew up plans for the county contests and set the dates of March 19 and 20 for the county meet to be held at Rockdale. This meet will feature such events as contests in debate, declamation, extemporaneous speaking, essay arithmetic and track and field events for junior and senior boys and girls, together with a school exhibit from all schools in Milam County.

Dates and places of other contests were set by the committee as follows:

Feb. 5 and 6 Cameron—Boys Tournament.

March 12 and 13 Cameron—Girls Basketball Tournament.

March 12 and 13 Cameron—Tennis Tournament.

Trophies to be awarded are:

Boys Basketball Champions—Permanent trophy awarded by Cameron.

Girls Basketball Champions—Permanent trophy awarded by Cameron.

Class A Track Champions—Traveling cups awarded by Rockdale High school and Yoe High school .

Boys tennis doubles—Cup.

Boys tennis singles—Cup.

Girls tennis Doubles—Cup.

Girls Tennis singles—Cup.

Class A all round championship—Cup.

Class B all round championship—Cup.

Rural school all round championship—Cup.

Debates, Boys—Trophy.

Debate, Girls—Trophy.

Declamation (eight contests)—Trophies.

Essay writing—Trophy.

Spelling—Trophy.

Music memory—Trophy.

Extemporaneous speaking—Trophy.

Arithmetic contest——Trophy.

Volley Ball—Trophy.

Junior boys and girls indoor baseball—Trophy.

Junior boys winning track team—Trophy.

All trophies to be retained permanently by winners.

The boys basketball tournament will begin at 8:30 a. m. Friday Feb. 5 on Lawless Green Field, Cameron. Drawing for games will be followed by play of first round eliminations.

Readers of this paper are urged to watch for further announcement concerning the county Meet to be held in Rockdale, March 19 and 20.

All schools are invited to exhibit any specimens of their work in the Rockdale High school building while the meet is being held.

The executive committee is composed of the following:

Director general—J. C. Wilkerson, Rockdale.

Director of Arithmetic—H. R. Edwards, Jones Prarie.

Director of Declamation—J. O. Hughes, Maysfield.

Director of Spelling—L. M. Heizer, Rosebud.

Director of Essay Writing—Mrs. O. F. Robinett, Calvert.

Director of Music Memory—Miss Lernay Gibson, Cameron.

Director of Athletics—T. F. Petty, Rockdale.

Director of Debate—J. H. Ross, Thorndale.

Director of Rural schools—Mrs. K. K. Robbins, Cameron.

T. F. Petty, Sec, Pro-tem.

TO DARKEN HAIR APPLY SAGE TEA

Look Young! Bring Back Its Natural Color, Gloss and Attractiveness

Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea with sulphur added, will turn gray, streaked and faded hair beautifully dark and luxuriant. Just a few applications will prove a revelation if your hair is fading, streaked or gray. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, though, is troublesome. An easier way is to get a bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound at any drug store all ready for use. This is the old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients.

While wispy, gray, faded hair is not sinful, we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness. By darkening your hair with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, no one can tell, because it does it so naturally, so evenly. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning all gray hairs have disappeared, and, after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and luxuriant.

Daughter Of Sul Ross Urges Purchase Coins

Austin, Texas, Jan. 8.—Appeal to the people of Texas is made by Mrs. Florine Ross Harrington, daughter of the late general Sul Ross and wife of Dr. H. H. Harrington, for hearty support of the Stone Mountain Memorial campaign.

"It has been the custom of the people of every civilized nation to perpetuate in stone, bronze or marble, the life, service and heoric deeds of their great men," Mrs. Harrington said. "But so far as I know the proposed monument of Stone Mountain commerating the deeds of gallant confederate leaders, is without a parallel in its conception of grandeur and stability. surely any one of the men whether Ross, Reagan, Green, Hood or Johnston, selected to represent Texas, is worthy of our patriotic effort to commerate in granite their eternal fame. Grouped together they will reflect from the face of Stone Mountain the common glory of the people of our great commonwealth. In honoring them we are but honoring ourselves by transmitting to posterity a heritage that will serve as an expression to the youth of our country as long as nobility of character, daring deeds and love of state shall live in the hearts of the people.

Prothro Deer spent the holidays in Sweetwater with Bryson Paddick.

The following young men were awarded medals at the C. M. T. C. Camp held at Fort Sam Houston Texas during the month of August 1925. Mr. Clifford Thompson received a gold medal as first place in the high jump and Mr. M. C. Sapp received a silver medal as second place in the two hundred and twenty yard dash and a silver individual trophy cup as third highest point winner in the track meet.

These awards won as they were from a field of over one thousand competitors reflected great credit on these young men.

No young man should miss an opportunity to attend the Citizen's Military Training Camps, for as President Coolidge says, "The young men graduating from the Citizens' Mili- physical health, mental vigor and tary Training Camps are helped to moral excellence."

A card addressed to the C. M. T. C. officer, headquarters Eighth Corps Area, Fort Sam Houston, Texas will bring full information.

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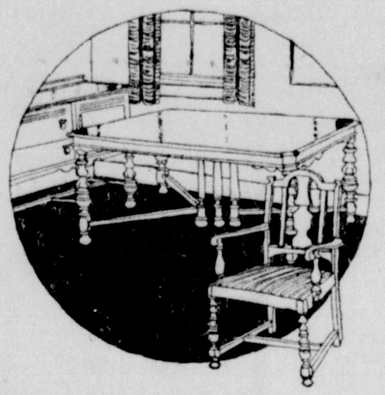
Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Stidham of Houston and two interesting little daughters, Charlotte and Sidney Jean are in Cameron to visit in the Stidham and Pardo homes this week.

Rub Rheumatism or Sore, Aching Joints

Rub Pain right out with small trial bottle of old "St. Jacobs Oil."

Rheumatism is "pain" only. Not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Stop drugging. Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Oil" right into your sore, stiff, aching joints and muscles, and relief comes instantly. "St. Jacobs Oil" is a harmless rheumatism liniment which never disappoints and cannot burn the skin.

Limber up! Quit complaining! Get a small trial bottle of old, honest "St. Jacobs Oil" at any drug store, and in just a moment you'll be free from rheumatic pain, soreness, stiffness and swelling. Don't suffer! Relief awaits you. "St. Jacobs Oil" has relieved millions of rheumatism sufferers in the last half century, and is just as good for sciatica, neuralgia, lumbago, backache, sprains.



Furniture Bargains

Inventory time brings to our notice many items of furniture and house furnishings that must be moved, regardless of cost. We sell the famous Cavalier line of fine furniture. Our furniture prices are always lower. See us for anything in furniture and house furnishings.

In Groceries We Always Lead

Another car Famous LaFrance Flour, 48-lb. sack, best made	$2.35
98-lbs. Drinkwater Hard Wheat Flour	$4.50
48-lb. Blue Bonnet High Patent Flour	$2.25
Crown, very good Flour	$2.10
SEED! SEEDS! SEEDS!	
Leonard's Seeds in bulk, English Peas, all varieties	.25
Beans, all varieties	.25
Mustard, Cabbage, Radish, Squash, Spinach, Rape; all varities Flower and Field Seeds.	
15 pounds Pinto Beans	$1.00
14 pounds Cane Sugar	$1.00
Brer Rabbit and Velva Syrup	.85
Mary Jane and Koo Koo Syr.	.70
Karo Syrup, gallon size	.65
Liquid Smoke, Qt. size	.65
Drano, cleans out sink and bath drain pipes, can	30
3 cans Old Dutch	.25
3 Palm Olive Soap	.25
3 Good Big Toilet Soap	.25
3 Jap Rose Soap, regular 15c, 3 for	.25
Heinz Catsup	.35
Heinz Chili Sauce, fine	.35
Heinz Vinegar, table size, bottle	.25
Stone's Cakes, 1-lb	.25
Stone's Cakes, 2-lb.	.50
Stone's Gakes, ½-lb. special ea.	.10
5 gallons Best Oil	.75
Good Lubricating Oil, gallon	.60
6 pkgs. good Washing Powder (Pearline)	.25
Electric Light Globes 25c and	.30
2 Jello, any flavor	.25
Royal Fruit Gelatine, each	.15
Knox's Gelatine	.25
Fresh Oysters, dozen	.15
Ripe Olives, large can	.35
Mince Meat, large jar	.35

On account of last year's drouth we are making special low prices on all kinds of Sweeps, Files, Collars, Bridles, Back Bands, Rope, Poultry Netting, Fence Staples, Nails, Hoes, Rakes, Spading Forks and in fact everythiny needed by the farmer.

Genuine John Deere plow points 037	$2.00
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12 inch files	.25
Best back bands and Hooks	.40
No. 3 Tubs for	$1.00
No. 2 Tubs for	.85
No. 1 Tubs for	.75
Steel Double Traces	$1.00
Steel Single traces	.65
Collar pads, each	.65
4 foot poultry wire	$5.00
3 foot poultry wire	$3.75

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